

MOVE FOR CAUCUS OF DEMOCRATS FOR SHIFT ON TREATY

**Underwood Said to Be
Among Senators Inclined to
Swing Over to Policy in
Favor of Reservations.**

REPUBLICANS SAY 22 WILL JOIN THEM

**Administration Backers,
Mindful of Possibility of
Referendum, Express Will-
ingness for Party Confer-
ence.**

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—Movement among Senate Democrats for the holding of a party caucus for consideration of a possible shift in policy on treaty reservations continued today under the surface.

"Strong supporters of the administration, while expressing a willingness to enter into a caucus, declared that a meeting of party members would reveal little change in sentiment on their side of the Senate chamber. The proposed caucus is understood to have strong backing in the Senate. It advocates a holding over of current reports, being Senator Underwood of Alabama and other leaders of the group which has been urging ratification of the treaty on the best possible compromise.

Republican leaders watching the reported developments in the Democratic ranks reiterated their assertion that 22 Democrats had evidenced a willingness to accept the Republican reservation program. Administration leaders disputed this total, added to the known Republican strength, would bring the supporters of the Lodge reservations to within a dozen of the two-thirds vote required.

HITCHCOCK BACK IN CAPITAL.

The outcome of the caucus movement is expected to be brought into the open soon, as Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, acting Democratic leader, returned to the capital today after spending the week-end out of the city.

Previous to the convening of the Senate today, leaders of both parties were unable to say whether consideration of the treaty would be resumed or whether some of the more urgent legislation would be taken up. Although the hotly contested reservation to Article 10 is next in order for consideration, it was agreed yesterday that it would be passed over temporarily in favor of some of the reservations on which there is not such a wide divergence.

Move for Referendum.
Supreme Court Justice Burke has predicted that one result of the census figures for St. Louis will be to arouse this city to the necessity of annexing the suburbs within reach, in time to count their population in the 1930 census.

At a meeting of the Million Population Club, at the American Hotel Annex last night, a Greater St. Louis Conference was formed, to consider plans for annexation of St. Louis County, as a whole, to the city. The members of this conference will be the members of the St. Louis County Court, John Wietheau, J. W. Shields and Raymond Walsh; Mayor Kiel, Comptroller Nolte and President Alce of the Board of Aldermen; President Carter, Jackson Johnson and Flint Garrison, representing the Club; Dr. George and Samuel Rosenfeld, Louis Walke and E. H. Lamkin, representing the Million Club.

Two movements for annexation of the western suburbs to the city of St. Louis have failed within the last three years. In both cases enabling bills, to permit a vote of the city and of the county residents on the question, failed of passage in the State Legislature.

Enabling Bill Smothered.
An enabling act was presented to the Legislature of 1917, with the backing of the Chamber of Commerce, and of the Million Population Club. The bill passed the State Senate, but was smothered in a House committee, through the opposition of the representatives of St. Louis County.

YOUTH TAKEN AT DANCE HALL REARRESTED IN COURTOOM

**Judge Itiner Instructs Police to Ap-
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cent Ortell With Carry-
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Vincent Ortell, 18 years old, of 220 Market street, who was arrested with the 12 others in connection with the shooting of John Kroupa, 16 years old, in a dance hall at 515A Market street, Sunday night, and who was charged with peace disturbance, was released yesterday in police court. The statement announces that Rostov has again been taken by the Red forces.

**MARYLAND DELEGATES TO FIGHT
SUFFRAGE IN WEST VIRGINIA**

**Members of Legislature Will Go to
Urgo General Assembly of State
to Reject Amendment.**

By the Associated Press.
ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 24.—The House of Delegates today voted to send a delegation of seven anti-suffrage members of the Legislature to West Virginia to urge the General Assembly of that State to follow the course of Maryland in rejecting the Federal woman suffrage amendment.

Among the Republicans, it was said that the caucus proposal apparently had grown out of a stiffening in the Republican ranks which in turn resulted from the action of the Senate Saturday when the non-voteable opponents of ratification gained the balance of power and used it to prevent any modification of the Republican reservations, it was argued, the mild reservation Republicans were shown that modification of the interests of compromise would be impossible and that the whole reservation group, including article 18, must stand fall together.

Bearing out this contention, mild reservations which theretofore have predicted that the amendment could be modified if it were voted upon say that the only chance of ratification seems to rest in the possibility that enough Democrats will accept the provision unchanged.

INTERVIEW WITH LENINE GREATLY INTERESTS ENGLISH

**London Papers Point to His Logic, "Without
Russia Europe Cannot Get on Her
Feet," and Demand Peace.**

**Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch
and New York World.**
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LONDON, Feb. 24.—With the interest in the Russian situation intensified here to a high pitch by the efforts of the Council of Premiers to formulate a definite Russian policy, Lincoln Eyre's interview with Nikolai Lenin, printed in the New York World, and the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, has attracted wide attention. It was printed in full yesterday morning in the Daily News, and New York correspondents of some of the other papers cabled extensive excerpts.

Commenting on "the extraordinarily interesting" picture which the correspondent gave of Lenin, the Star said:

"Whether we like Lenin or not is immaterial. The truth is that we

cannot get past his logic. 'Without Russia, Europe cannot get on her feet.' With high prices devouring nations, and the alarming industrial miseries of Western Europe, we must have Russia's surplus food, as she must have our products. To do this we must have peace. Lenin wants peace and so do we—and we shall have it."

The Westminster Gazette says: "It is absolutely essential that we should wind up our military party in Poland. And we should consider the possibility of definite peace, for to that end resumption of trade must inevitably lead."

"Russia's general economic position and prospects drive home the bitter realization of deprivations to which the English nation are subjecting their people by voting their free access to the commodities which Russia is eager to export."

**1920 POPULATION
OF ST. LOUIS IS
ABOUT 800,000**

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enumerators' work was hasty or careless, a recount was made.

When this had been completed the Supervisor of the Census called upon the Chamber of Commerce, the Advertising Club and the daily newspapers to aid him in seeking out individuals who had been missed.

Books Officially Closed.

Billboard and newspaper advertising appeared. Street cars carried signs appealing to the public spirit of residents to be counted for St. Louis. Newspapers carried coupons for mailing to the Supervisor by persons who thought they had not been listed. Several thousand of these were returned to the Supervisor.

Finally the police were alerted upon a house-to-house canvass during which they asked occupants,

whether they knew whether all their

children had been enumerated.

This canvass was completed last Saturday.

The result was several other thou-

sands, but such comparison as has

been made with enumerators' schedules has shown that a considerable percentage of the names already had been counted.

Yesterday was the day set by the Supervisor as the last for reporting by individuals. The work of checking the "cleanup" campaign has been started.

Supervisor Burke said yesterday that he had not sent any schedule to Washington, but that when he did begin to send them he would be able to have all of them at the Census Bureau within a short time.

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In all these calculations, however, neither side loses sight of the possibility that the White House may again use its influence to stiffen the backs of the administration Senators or that the President may, if an unacceptable ratification impends, withdraw the treaty from Senate consideration. He might take the latter option, it is suggested, to express at once his desire to leave the Senate and his unwillingness to have the nation become a party on any terms in the Adriatic settlement.

Feeling as to Referendum.

Neither is it concealed that broad sections of party policy are involved in the choice of a referendum, now generally admitted by leaders to have been thrust into the political campaign. Privately the Senators pressing for acceptance of the Republican reservations confess themselves out of accord with the President's Jackson day declaration for a "solemn referendum" and they are seeking to dissociate Senate Democrats from any appearance of supporting that proposal.

In the caucus, therefore, this group prepares to plead that the treaty be ratified with the Republican reservations, so that the President, if he then chooses to regard the Senate's action as a rejection and to pocket the treaty, may have upon his own shoulders the burden of a decision which they do not believe will be popular with the country. With Senate Democrats going on, and a Democratic President another, they believe that a Democratic national convention will feel itself free from any cut and dried program when it comes to deal with the subject.

For Reservations as Who.

The administration's staunch supporters in the Senate, however, apparently are not fearful that these proposals will prevail. They indicated last night that if a sufficient number of Democrats wanted a caucus, one would be called. But they flouted the suggestion that it might throw over the President's advice or show a majority against the past and present party stand on reservations.

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FRAUD ALLEGED IN H. S. HARKNESS'

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Reported to Be
Choice for Post
Resignation.

FILES COPIES OF JOINT AGREEMENT

Asserts Former Husband Was
of Unsound Mind When
Testament Was Drawn
Just Before Death.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Filing a
bill of complaint bristling with sen-
timental allegations, Mrs. Kennett
Cowan, first wife of the late Harry
S. Harkness, has begun her fight to
wrest the \$20,000,000 estate from
Mrs. Florence Steuber Gaines Hark-
ness, the widow.

Producing the text of the "mutual
contract" between her and Harkness,
executed Nov. 5, 1909, Mrs. Cowan
in her complaint alleged that the
will the late sportsman wrote a few
hours before he died on June 23,
1919, was "made and executed while
said decedent was of unsound mind
and memory, and while said dec-
edent was under restraint and subject
to fraud and undue influence then
practiced upon him."

Mrs. Cowan's document further
charged "upon information and be-
lief" that Harkness had not asked
that the will be drawn and that the
witnesses to it had not signed the in-
strument in his presence, as required
by law. The complaint, in connection
with Harkness' own signature,
referred to it at one point as "the
alleged forced signing thereof by said
decedent."

Incidentally, the bill disclosed that
between February, 1915, and October,
1918, when she and Harkness had
been parted by divorce, there had
occurred a period of alienation.

Cites Agreement of 1909.

Relating the marriage of Mrs. Marie
Moss Harbeck to Harkness, she said
the bill of complaint stated he "said
Harry S. Harkness and the plaintiff
entered into an agreement by the
terms of which it was mutually con-
cluded and agreed that in considera-
tion of mutual love and affection
and the mutual promises then made
they should make mutual or
reciprocal wills." These documents,
she said, were to be "irrevocable" and were to be kept until
the death of one or the other
party to them.

Annexed to the complaint were
copies of the "mutual agreements."
The witnesses to each were the
same; the wording, except where the
text referred to the contingency of
children, were identical. So the
agreement signed by Harkness will
serve as illustrative of both. It was
incorporated in the complaint as
follows:

"I, Harry Stephen Harkness of the
City, County and State of New York,
wishes any and all prior wills and
codicils by me at any time made, do
hereby make, publish and declare, this
my last will and testament.

All to His Wife.

"First—I give, devise and be-
queath to my wife, Marie Elizabeth
Harkness of the City, County and
State aforesaid, all my property of
whatever character or description,
real, personal and mixed, and when-
ever located, together with any prop-
erty of whatever character or descrip-
tion, real, personal or mixed,
and any interest therein which I
may have power to dispose."

"The following disposition is made
in the full confidence and expecta-
tion that in case I shall have a child
born after the making of this will,
either in my lifetime or after my
death, the same will be suitably
provided for by my wife."

"Secondly—I hereby nominate,
constitute and appoint said Marie
Elizabeth Harkness my sole execu-
tor."

"In witness whereof I, the said
Harry Stephen Harkness, have to
this my last will and testament,
consisting of one sheet of paper,
subscribed my name this fifth day
of November, one thousand nine
hundred and nine."

HARRY STEPHEN HARKNESS.

The foregoing instrument, con-
sisting of one sheet of paper, was on
the 5th day of November, one thou-
sand nine hundred and nine, sub-
scribed, sealed and declared by
the testator to be his last will and
testament in the presence of each of
the undersigned attesting witness-
es, who thereupon, at his request
and in his presence and in the pres-
ence of each other, have signed our
names as witnesses the day and year
last above written.

Witnesses: Place of Residence:
WILLIAM COLLINS MARSH, 391
Greene avenue, Brooklyn.
CARON L. SQUIERS, 1222 Dean
Street, Brooklyn.
CHARLES S. FOOTE, 208 West
Forty-fourth street, Manhattan."

Witnesses to First Will.
At the home of Marsh, a son, Col-
lin Marsh, speaking for his father,
who died Oct. 8, 1914, said he could
see little light on the matter. The
son, who is a lawyer, is a friend of
a friend of Harkness, father of
the dead sportsman, and probably
had acted as witness in this capacity,
he said. Foote no longer lives at
the West Forty-fourth street address,
and at the Union League Club
he could not be located. Squiers,
selected to the Supreme Court bench

will go to America this
fall on business.

Middle West
trunk lines rep-
\$31,000,000,

Midland Ice

Sportsman Who Left \$20,000,000 and First Wife Who Says It Is All Hers



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HARRY S. HARKNESS

\$50,000 RAISED HERE TO SUPPORT SINN FEIN REVOLT

Large Audience Hears Appeal
of Edward F. Dunne and
Many Buy Bonds of "Irish
Republic."

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floor and boxes of the Odeon and oc-
cupied some of the balcony seats
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Peter J. O'Rourke were among the
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OPPOSES TREATY RATIFICATION.
Gov. Dunn spoke in opposition
to the ratification of the peace treaty
by the United States. He said he
would bind the United States to help England in holding
Ireland, India and Egypt in subjec-
tion.

He said the treaty would confer
Great Britain in the possession of
4,000,000 square miles of territory
and 40,000,000 people, obtained by
wartime conquests.

Dr. R. Emmet Kane, chairman
and Father O'Rourke discussed the
editorial in yesterday's Post-Dis-
patch which was headed, "The Irish
Bond Campaign." The editorial
raised the question whether the sale
of such bonds in this country did not
constitute a violation of the inter-
national obligations of the United
States.

Extracts From Editorial.

"Governments are plainly under
the duty to prevent the use of their
territories for purposes hostile to
other states and to all organizations."

"That the plaintiff have such
other further or different relief in
the premises as may be just, to-
gether with the cost and disburse-
ments of this action."

Mrs. Florence S. Harkness, whose
co-executor is John W. MacKellar,
refused to make a statement.

STATE SENATOR CUNNINGHAM WEDS POLICEMAN'S DAUGHTER

Miss May Coff of St. Louis Became
Bride of Legislator at Marsh-
field, Mo., Feb. 14.

State Senator Albert Cunningham
of Eminence, Mo., was married Feb.
14 at Marshfield, Mo., to Miss May
Coff, a daughter of Policeman James
Coff, 3909 Kennerly avenue.

The marriage was performed by the
probate judge at Marshfield and had
been kept secret until today.

Says Harkness Opposed.
The complaint also alleged that
the said decedent did not request
said paper writing to be drawn up or
written out or prepared, nor did he
make any request to have the last
will or testament made, but, on the
contrary, declared and stated that he
did not want to make any paper
writing purporting to be a last will and
testament.

Another allegation by Mrs. Cowan
in her complaint dealt with the proba-
tory part of the will. Concerning this
the complainant recited that "the proba-
tory part was prepared as his will
and testament was prepared by fraud
upon the said Surrogate Court by the concealment of the
fact that the said decedent was of
unsound mind and incapable of
making a last will and testament at
the time of the alleged signing and
attestation of the last paper writing."

After setting forth her allegations,
Mrs. Cowan, through her counsel,
stated that she sought from the Su-
preme Court the following:

"1. That the said agreement above
described"—(the mutual con-
tract)—"be enforced and specifically
held to be binding upon the defendants
and said estate."

"2. That the said mutual will, if
which Exhibit B is a copy, be estab-
lished and declared to be the only
last will and testament of said
decedent."

"3. That the paper writing dated
the 23d day of January, 1919, of
which Exhibit C is a copy, be de-
clared wholly void and that the same
be set aside, canceled and held for
naught, and that the alleged probate
thereof be revoked, and declared to
be a fraud upon the said Surrogate's
Court."

"4. That in the alternative that
the defendants be declared to be
trustees of said estate for the sole
benefit of said plaintiff."

Asks for Injunction.
"5. That the defendants be en-
joined and restrained from dispo-
sing of any of the property of the
said decedent by temporary injunction
during the pendency of this action,
and permanently by final injunc-
tion enjoining and restraining the
delivery of any property from
any one other than this plaintiff."

"6. That the defendants be re-
quired to account for all of the
property and assets of said decedent's
estate and of the debts of the defen-
dants with respect to the same and
that the defendants be required dur-
ing the pendency of this action to
give bond in an adequate amount and
with sufficient surety to be ap-
proved by the court to faithfully
preserve said estate and hold the
same intact."

"7. That in the alternative during
the pendency of this action a re-
ceiver of the property and assets of
the said decedent be appointed by
the court to administer the same."

"8. That William will go to America this
fall on business."

**Irish Bond Campaign in U. S. Dis-
cussed in House of Commons.**

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Sir Hamer
Greenwood, Under Secretary for
Home Affairs, replying to a question
in the House of Commons yesterday,
said the Government was aware that
invitations were being issued
through the American press inviting
subscriptions for bond certificates of
the Republic of Ireland, but that
Great Britain had made no representa-
tion to the President of the United
States upon the matter.

The latter part of Sir Hamer's an-
swer was greeted with cries of "why?"

MORE FRENCH WAR MEMORIALS.

Relatives of Jewish soldiers who
lost their lives in the world war will
receive memorials from the French
Government at a public meeting of
Goldman-Grodsky Poet of the Ameri-
can Legion, to be held in Del-Van
Hall, 626 North Vandeventer ave-
nue, at 8 o'clock tonight.

Speeches will be delivered by Rab-
bi Witte, Rabbi M. Spitz and Rabbi
Samuel Thurman.

EXPERT TESTIFIES MUMMIES SHOW TRACES OF INFECTION

Appears in Suit to Gain Liberty
by Woman Detained as
Typhoid Carrier.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—Evidence of
bacteriological infection has been
found in the bodies of Egyptian
mummies and there is evidence that
prehistoric dinosaurs suffered from
tubercular bacillus, Dr. Arthur L.
Kendall, professor of bacteriology
at Northwestern University, testified
today in which Mrs. George A.
Barmore today sought to establish
her right to liberty. The Department
of Health declared Mrs. Bar-
more was a typhoid carrier and a
menace to public health. Dr. Kendal
explained that a person may be
susceptible but never himself contract
the disease.

Several prominent bacteriologists
from various universities have been
summoned to testify in the case.
The City Health Department as-
serts that five cases of typhoid have
been traced to association with Mrs.
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OUTLINE POSITIONS ON ISSUES**

"There Are About 40 Questions on
Which I Would Like to Hear
Opinions."

By the Associated Press.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 24.—"I have
been denying regularly every Tues-
day since I came back to this coun-
try that I am a candidate for Pres-
ident," said Herbert Hoover.

"I am not a party man and have
no organization working for me."

"How can there be a candidacy
when there is no party and no orga-
nization?" How can there be a
candidacy without an expression of
will on the part of the candidate?

"I have been asked often whether
I am a Democrat or Republican.
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SENATOR PENROSE RULES OUT HOOVER AS G. O. P. CANDIDATE

Asserts Statement Last Fall Urging Election of Democratic Congress Insulted Republican Party.

Speech at Philadelphia Meeting. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 24.—"Herbert Hoover never could be considered by a Republican convention as a fitting candidate for the presidential nomination."

That is the opinion of Senator Borla Penrose, leader of the Old Guard of the Republican party, whose advice and counsel will have weighty influence on the deliberations of the Chicago convention. In it politicians saw the consensus of the leaders with whom Senator Penrose is most closely allied.

"In the last congressional election," said the Senator, "Hoover issued a part statement insulting the Republican party by urging the return of Democratic Congress harmonious to the program laid down by Mr. Wilson."

"I regard as one of the most important victories ever recorded in political annals the achievement of the last congressional election, when a Republican majority was returned to Congress. That election rang the death knell of autocracy."

"There is no crystallization of sentiment on any one man as a standard bearer for the Republican party. Many strong men have been mentioned. Any good Republican nominated will be elected, and the country will be rescued from into which it has fallen because of Democratic inefficiency. The principal test will be that the nominee be an approved Republican. I entertain no apprehension as to the outcome."

Wood to Run in Illinois Primary.

By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—Major-General Leonard Wood will enter the Illinois presidential preference primary, it was announced today by William C. Procter, Wood's national campaign chairman. Petitions will be circulated at once. Procter said:

REVOLUTIONIST WHO FIRST SAW KAISERIN DESCRIBES 'ABUSE'

Berlin Leader Relates Story of Interview That Gave Rise to Reports of Mistreatment.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE POST DISPATCH. LONDON, Feb. 24.—"During the early days of the German upheaval it was rumored that the former Kaiserin, then still at Potsdam, had been subjected to indignities and insults by a revolutionary mob." The Berlin correspondent of the Daily Telegraph wires: "Up to the present, the incident on which this report was based has not been publicly cleared up. A letter, however, has been placed at my disposal in which the facts are set out in detail by one of the persons immediately concerned."

The writer of the letter is Lieutenant Hans Paasche, says the correspondent, calling him one of the few revolutionary leaders who are inspired by pure and uncompromising idealism, who has proved this by sacrifices and sufferings. He served on the Executive Committee of the first Berlin delegates and in this capacity he had a dramatic interview with the former Kaiserin. The Lieutenant tells of it in this way:

"In the middle of November, 1918, I had an interview with the Kaiserin which has been employed to represent her as a crowned martyr. At that time I was endeavoring to ascertain the safety of documents which the former soldiers of power had an interest in destroying. The mission brought me into Potsdam, where in which the former Kaiserin was then living with her son, Eitel Friedrich.

TOOK PROVOCATIVE ATTITUDE.

"The latter asked me if I would like to speak to his mother. As I had no desire to disturb the lady, I declined. Nevertheless, the Prince left the room and, a few minutes later, returned with his mother. To my surprise, she took up a provocative attitude and said to me in an irritable tone:

"What do you want with me? I thought certainly I should not be molested."

"To this I replied: 'You do not seem to realize what circumstances I am here. I am the representative of the people, who have put an end to their sufferings and who can hardly be blamed if they trouble you for once in a way.'

"To be addressed as 'you' struck the exalted lady so much that she said, in these very words:

"And I am—I was—the Kaiserin."

"The moment was historically interesting. I could not use the form of address, 'Your Majesty,' without disregarding the sacrifices of the people and to utilize 'Frau' (usually employed to married women in Germany society) did not occur to me. In this accidental address there was not the slightest offensive intention, but in view of the sufferings which Hohenzollern arrogance and levity had brought upon humanity it did not seem to me very important whether my address pleased her or not."

"The former Kaiserin looked at me with consternation when I told her who I was. Undoubtedly when the first and only revolutionary addressed her, she was prepared for terrible things. That I noticed in her demeanor and I tried to calm her fears by saying something about the new and better system of humanity and love. She replied with an air half of confusion:

"Do stop that; that system is God."

"She gave me the information I desired and then complained quite suddenly that there had been plundering in the Berlin palace. With emp... I uttered this reproof:

"This war has piled up a pyramid of skulls, and you complain because in one of your palaces your husband's linen cupboard has been plundered."

"This was the same Kaiserin who had telegraphic reports sent her daily as to the search for a vase which a school boy had taken from a palace, at the time the Germans had been waiting for a sign of life from their desert and no telegraph was available for any but military purposes. Her succeeding remarks were enough to cure me of any delusion that the Hohenzollerns would ever realize that the Middle Ages had come to an end."

"The former Kaiserin was deeply disgusted that our soldiers did not want to go on with the war, and finally she said:

"I had six sons at the front."

NOT TO BE COMPARED.
"I advised her not to challenge comparisons, for even if one of these sons had fallen it would not have been the breadwinner of a family, and what that means she would hardly be able to imagine. Her anxieties were not to be compared with what other women had to bear."

"The former Kaiserin seemed to wish to defend herself against being compelled to look at the true face of the war. When in some connection I used the expression, 'women of the fatherland,' the proletarian conception evidently suggested to her mind 'fellows without a fatherland,' the term applied to Socialists by the Kaiser in one of his early speeches. I began:

"What do you mean by fatherland?"

"But she broke in with a show of boundless disgust:

"Of course, if one has no fatherland, and then she lost control over herself and disappeared through a door. The conception of fatherland evidently had a positively dangerous form in the heart of a woman."

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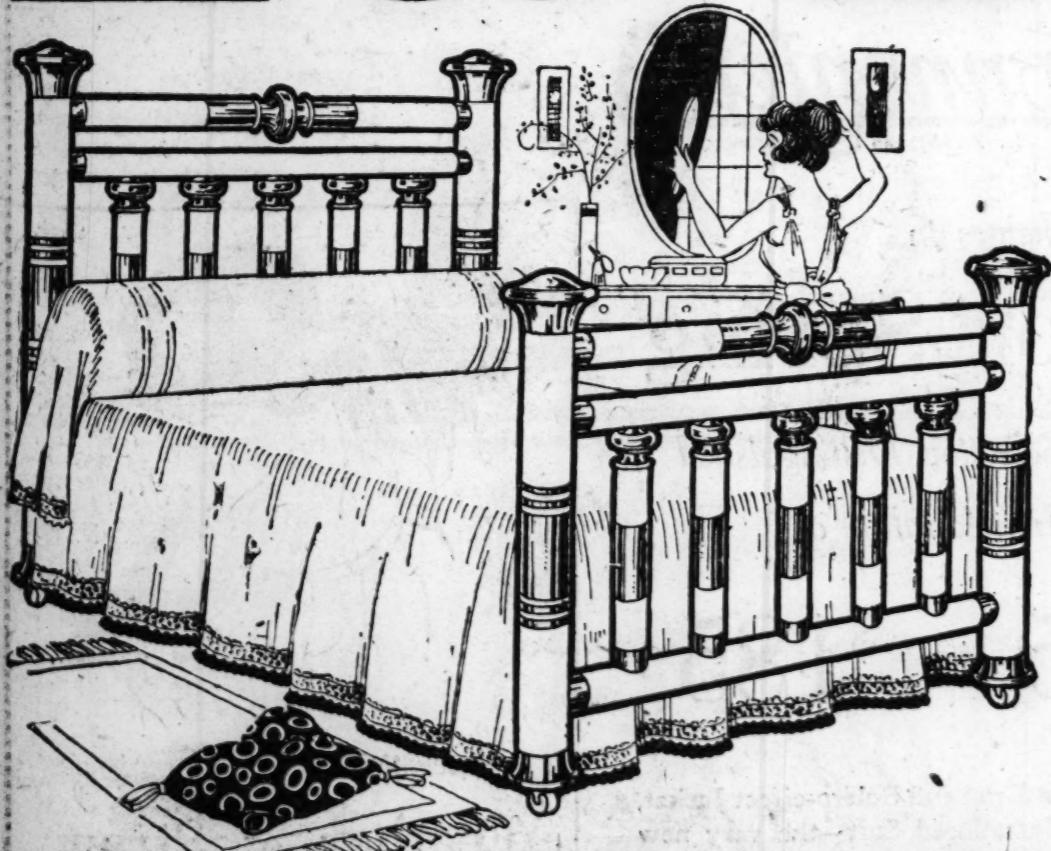
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NO WIRE LIABILITY UNDER U. S.

By the Associated Press.
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 24.—The Arkansas Supreme Court yesterday held that telegraph companies could not be held liable for damages accruing from delays in receiving, transmitting or delivery of messages during the period when they were under Government control. A verdict awarded in a case appealed from Crawford County was reversed.

\$1285 TAKEN BY ROBBERS IN THREE INDOOR HOLDUPS

Two Negroes Rob Grocery at 3226 Franklin of \$720 and Lock Owner and Clerk in an Icebox.

Indoor holdup men took \$1285 in three robberies last night, two of the robberies being committed in stores and one in a private residence.

Joseph Platke, a grocer, of 3226 Franklin avenue, was preparing to close his shop at 8 o'clock when two negroes entered and ordered 10 cents' worth of sausage. As Platke started for the icebox to get the meat the negroes drew revolvers and ordered him and the clerk, Morris Kraemer, into the cooler.

After locking the冰door, the negroes took \$720 and ran out. Platke and the clerk were prisoners in the box for about 15 minutes, until another negro, a regular customer, came in and released them. Platke told policemen the money represented receipts from Saturday, which he had not been able to put in bank owing to the Monday observance of Washington's birthday.

Three men wearing handkerchiefs over the lower parts of their faces walked into the office of the Abe Kahn Commission Co., 1028 North Third street, at 7:10 p.m., and drawing revolvers ordered Kahn and a customer, Abe Friedman, 4218 Evans avenue, to turn their faces to the wall and hold up their hands.

One robber went through their pockets, taking \$350 from Kahn and \$135 from Friedman. The men escaped by running into the street and thence to an alley where they disappeared.

John Jockens, 5023 Idaho avenue, an electrician, answering a ring at the door bell of his home at 8:15 p.m., found two strangers, who drew revolvers and ordered him to throw up his hands. As Jockens tried to slam the door in their faces one of the men stuck his foot in the door. Both then forced their way in and broke Jockens against a wall, where one held him while the second searched his pockets and took \$30. The pair ran out of the house and escaped.

U.R. MOTORMEN AND CONDUCTORS APPROVE PROPOSED WAGE SCALE

Application for Increases to Be Presented to Receiver Wells Within a Few Days.

A new schedule of wage increases proposed by United Railways motormen and conductors was approved by the men at meetings held yesterday morning and evening at the headquarters of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees, 2223 Olive street, and will be submitted to Receiver Wells by the union's Wage Committee within a few days.

The schedule, as has been told, provides 75 cents an hour for the first six months of employment; 80 cents an hour for the next six months; 85 cents an hour after the first year and an actual eight-hour day and six-day week.

At present United Railways motormen and conductors receive from 50 to 60 cents an hour, according to the length of service. The present arrangement provides for an eight-hour day, but the hours of many of the men are divided between the morning and evening. The desire is to eliminate this condition and have all runs for a continuous eight hours. The new schedule also provides that men working on less than eight-hour runs be paid for an eight-hour day. The demands must be presented to Receiver Wells before April 1. The receiver then has until June 1 to consider them. If no decision is reached by that time the matter must be referred to a board of arbitration.

SLAYER SERIOUSLY ILL, NURSED BY WIDOW OF MAN HE KILLED

Influenza Patient in Denver Shoots When Husband of Woman Dies Room.

By the Associated Press.
DENVER, Colo., Feb. 24.—Nursed by the widow of the man he killed, Charles T. Brown is under guard in his room at a hotel here seriously ill of influenza.

The killing came yesterday when Edward Bell Rodgers of Green River, Wyo., entered the room where Brown and Mrs. Rodgers admit they have been living for several months as man and wife. Rodgers reached for his pistol. It caught in his pocket and Brown drew a gun from beneath his pillow and shot.

"I am not sorry," Brown said last night. "I shot to defend myself and the woman who has nursed and cared for me."

After shooting Rodgers three times in the heart, Brown calmly lay back on his bed and awaited the coming of policemen. He was too ill to be removed to jail or to a hospital and a guard was placed over him by the Police Department.

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Driver for Taxicab Company Discharged by Judge Itiner; Application Filed

Harry Wise of 3531 Lindell avenue, one of two chauffeurs for the Yellow Taxicab Co., who were arrested last Wednesday on a charge of establishing a permanent taxi stand in front of 1838 Market street, opposite Union Station, without permission from the Board of Public Service, was discharged in Police Court today.

J. W. Wallace Jr., manager of the company, said last week that the charges had been inspired by rival taxicab concerns, testified that application had been made to Director of Streets and Sewers Talbert for permission to establish a stand in front of the Market street address, but that it had been refused on the ground that the police had declined to approve the application.

Wise testified that his machine had been standing about 15 minutes when he was called across the street to Union Station by two persons who wished to engage his taxicab. His arrest followed.

Judge Itiner made no comment in discharging Wise. The case of the other chauffeur is still pending.

"PARADISE LOST" AT ODEON TO ATTRACT MANY MUSIC CRITICS

Production by Pageant Choral Society to Be That Performance

Music critics from Chicago and Cincinnati will come here to review the performance of the Rossi masterpiece, "Paradise Lost," to be given by the St. Louis Pageant Choral Society at the Odeon March 9. This performance will be the third in America of the new choral symphony. The two previous performances were last year at Boston, given by the Handel and Haydn Society, and at the spring festival of the University of Michigan.

The Pageant Choral Society will sing it with the full chorus of the organization, a trio of grand opera stars in the solo roles, and the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra as accompaniment. The soloists are Arthur Middleton, bass-baritone, who will sing the dual role of Adam and Satan; Lotta Madden, soprano, as Eve, and Ellen Rumsey, who is cast for the part of Uriel. "The Voice of Father" will be represented by a chorus of tenors who are specially trained for their part in the production.

Special cars will be run from St. Charles and an effort now is under way to arrange for specials from Alton, Belleville and other nearby Illinois towns.

138TH AUXILIARY DANCE TO BE AN ANNUAL AFFAIR

Mrs. Oscar Miller Made Chairman of Committee to Make This Year's Arrangements.

The 138th Relatives' Auxiliary meeting last night at the Cabanne Branch Library, unanimously voted to make the Armistice day reunion and dance of 138th men, held Nov. 10 last, at Arcadia dance hall, an annual affair. Mrs. Oscar Miller was made chairman of the dance committee.

Whether or not to disband or to affiliate with the American Legion as an auxiliary was not decided because of the absence of Col. Robert Burkham, chairman of the local executive committee of the legion, who was expected to explain what provision the legion has made for relatives' auxiliaries. The final meeting will be held on March 8, when the question will be settled.

The report of the hospital committee, read by Mrs. John Hoffman, chairman of the auxiliary, showed that \$463.55 had been spent since Oct. 19 last, for entertainments and gifts and loans to needy ex-soldiers.

JUDGE INCREASES ALIMONY BECAUSE OF LIVING COSTS

Advance of \$25 Monthly Granted to Mrs. Pearl E. Chapman—Got Divorce in 1917.

Circuit Judge Grim today entered an order increasing alimony awarded to Mrs. Pearl E. Chapman from \$25 to \$35 a month. The order is directed against John Chapman, 4906 Forest Park boulevard. They were divorced in 1917 and Mrs. Chapman was granted \$50 alimony and the custody of the two children. Later, when Chapman sent one of the children away to school, she agreed to reduce the amount to \$25.

The high cost of living was given as the reason for the desired increase. It was shown that Chapman had married again and that his salary with the National Veneer Co. had been increased since the divorce from \$150 to \$350 a month.

TWO YEARS FOR \$20 FORGERY

Uncle Prosecuting Witness Against George Eschelbach.

George Eschelbach, 27 years old, of 4918 Wabada avenue, was sentenced today to two years in the penitentiary on his plea of guilty to second degree forgery. The complaining witness was his uncle, George Klein, also of the Wabada avenue address.

Eschelbach was arrested Oct. 11 after he had cashed a check for \$20 to which Klein's name had been fraudulently added. The check was made payable to Klein and was signed "C. H. Grote & Co." Eschelbach told the police that he formerly had been employed by C. H. Grote & Co., commission merchants, 1107 North Eighth street.

A second charge of forgery against Eschelbach, growing out of the cashing of a check for \$10, was nolle prossed.

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INFORMAL AFFAIRS FOR OUT-OF-TOWN GUESTS

St. Louis Popular Place to Visit During Between-Seasons Period.

BETWEEN seasons, when it is rather dull at home is usually a popular time to go visiting and, judging from the number of out-of-town guests being entertained here, it can certainly be said that St. Louis is among the popular places for this. About the only thing that is being done for these out-of-town visitors are informal affairs, such as two tables of bridge, an informal tea or small luncheon, but it is not always the larger affairs that are the jolliest and no doubt they are enjoying themselves more at these smaller affairs.

Among the visitors who are being entertained are Miss Elizabeth Kimball of Chicago, who is the guest of Mrs. Paul Jones Jr. of Laclede avenue; Miss Helen Croninger of Dayton, O., who is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. R. Croninger of Aberdeen place; Mrs. William Scott Sneed of Montclair, N. J., who is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Herbert Parker of Washington terrace; Mrs. Ralph H. Faulkner of New York, formerly Miss Marie Butler of St. Louis, who is visiting her cousin, Miss Helen Parke of North Knobwood avenue; Miss Charlotte Baden of Richmond, Va., who is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Branch F. Spencer of Waterman avenue; Mrs. Dunbeck of Texarkana, Ark., who is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. N. Bemis of Kingsbury place; Miss Dorothy Park of Chicago, who is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harold H. Day of Limit avenue.

Mrs. Sidney U. Busch of Webster Groves entertained this afternoon with four tables of bridge in compliment to Miss Elizabeth Kimball of Chicago, who is the guest of Mrs. Paul Jones Jr., 4951 Laclede avenue. The guests besides Mrs. Jones and Miss Kimball included Misses Briggs Hoffman, Harold Dayton, Preston Sultan, Chris Holzworth, Fritz Reissmeyer, Will Dooley, Clark Gamble, William MacLaughlin, O'Hare, John C. Roberts Jr., Lawson Watts, Robert Clairborne, George Bullock, Robert Hussey and Miss Ruth Burlingame.

Miss Kimball was guest of honor at a morning bridge party Miss Burlingame gave for her this morning and tomorrow Miss Jean Allison, 5024 Washington boulevard, will entertain for her. She will depart for a visit to San Antonio Thursday, returning next month to be the guest of Miss Burlingame.

Mrs. Joseph Rankin of the St. Regis apartments was hostess this afternoon at an informal bridge luncheon in compliment to Mrs. William Scott Sneed of Montclair, N. J., who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Parker, 39 Washington terrace. On Thursday Mrs. Waldo Layman, 22 Kingsbury place, will give a small informal bridge party for her daughter, Mrs. Edward F. Deacon and Mrs. Sneed and the following day Mrs. Henry C. Whitehead will entertain with a similar affair for Mrs. Sneed.

Miss Corinne J. Tobin, 3614 Russell avenue, has returned from New York. In a few days she will depart for Coronado Beach, Cal., to join her mother, Mrs. John D. Tobin, and Mrs. Edwin Carlson.

Miss Dorothy Baker, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Edward Baker, 4915 West Pine boulevard, will depart next month for Long Beach, Cal.

Mrs. Alanson C. Brown of St. Louis County is among the St. Louisans at Palm Beach, Fla. She will return the latter part of next month.

Mrs. G. F. Etzkorn, Kirkwood, entertained Sunday afternoon for her daughter, Miss Josephine Etzkorn, whose engagement to Jack J. Tully of St. Louis has been announced. No date has been set for the wedding.

The marriage of Miss Viola Langford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Langford of 4408 Newberry terrace, to E. A. Halter, 4316 Locust, took place at the home of the bride's parents Sunday at 1 o'clock. Rev. Dr. William F. Isler officiating, in the presence of the immediate families. The young couple are making their home with the bride's parents.

Invitations have been issued by the Town Club for a musical at the club quarters in the Century Building this evening at 8:15 o'clock. Soloists will be Mrs. Franklyn Knight, and Miss Elizabeth Northrop Fargo. Mrs. Frank Habig will be at the piano.

Miss Regina Duba entertained at her home, 2857 Neosho street, with a valentine party Saturday evening. Those present were: Misses M. Bultas, C. Bauer, A. Dowd, A. Dohle, E. Keutzer, M. Maguire, N. Fitzgerald, L. Duba, C. Bocks; Messrs. L. Mattson, F. Maguire, A. Wittmer, J. Hot, E. Keutzer, A. Boyer, W. Keutzer.

Mrs. James A. Buffo of 3888 Utah place entertained with a 500 party Saturday evening. The guests were: Messrs. and Misses George P. Endres, Fred W. Schneider, Gustav Moeser, Martin Monti Jr.; Prof. Claude E. Stephens, George Walton and Edward R. Droch and Misses Marie Davis and Hubert Erchela.

Mrs. O. H. Benner of 2922 Palm street entertained with a surprise miscellaneous shower on Saturday, Feb. 14, in honor of her sister, Miss Amanda Hartman of 3946 North Florissant avenue, who will be married to Walter Harnagel this spring.

HOSTESS AT BRIDGE FOR VISITOR FROM CHICAGO

in receiving the guests. Those present were: Misses Helen Diesel, Adele Thiele, Emma Hartman, Gertrude Ellersiek, Bertha Rodefeld, Helen Branch, Esther Branch, Edna Siering, Adell Siering, Carolyn Butterbrodt, Edna Brameler, Emma Mill, Edna Engelge, Ella Engelge, Selma Goesswein, Rose Goesswein, Hilda Hillingshorst, Erna Hillingshorst; Misses William Quade, Carl Becker, Edward Hartman, Fred Hartman Jr., Henry Benner, O. H. Hallback, Arthur Poole, F. Hasenjaeger, Fred Frederking, William Harnagel and Fred Hartman Sr.

The regular all-day meeting of the Wednesday Club will be held Wednesday, Feb. 25, beginning at 10:30 a.m., when the science section will discuss "Some Knoty Points in Parliamentary Law," with Mrs. N. P. Zimmer as speaker. Mrs. Ottmar Moll will preside. After luncheon Mr. Louis W. Rader, supervisor of continuation schools, will speak before the education section on "The Need of the Junior High School." Mrs. Rhodes E. Cave will read a paper on "The Effects on Character of the 'Three Rs'." At the poetic section, at 3 o'clock, Mrs. William T. Nardin will read "Poetry of the South." Mrs. George Nelson will read some of Lanier's poems and Mrs. Clinton Lubbock poems in negro dialect. Election of new officers will take place at all the section meetings.

Severe Earthquake Near Tiflis.

ROME, Feb. 24.—Tiflis dispatches say that a great earthquake has occurred in the district of which the town of Gor is the center. Gor lies about 30 miles northwest of Tiflis. There have been numerous casualties and serious damage.

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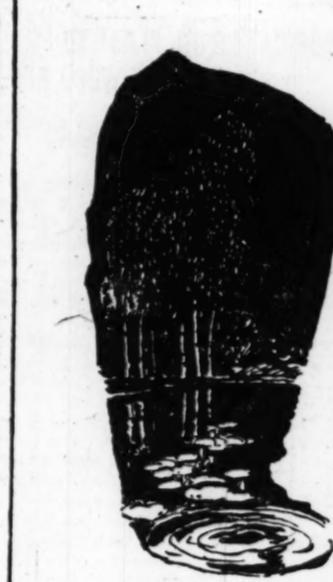
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"The pup can't run any faster," the motorman explained. "And I ain't going to run over him. That stands if we don't get to Times Square till night."

At Times Square the terrier still was ahead of the train, but going at a greatly reduced pace.

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16 TRAFFIC LAW VIOLATORS FINED IN POLICE COURTS

List includes 14 Speeders and Two Motorists Who Failed to Stop for Street Cars.

Seven speeders and two motorists, who failed to stop for street cars discharging passengers, were fined by Judge Mix in Police Court today. The usual fine of \$1 a mile was assessed against the speeders.

They were: Walter D. Parker, 5004 Garfield avenue, 28 miles, \$25; Harold Slusky, 5611 Elstel avenue, 30 miles, \$30; William W. Bell, 30 miles, \$30; Fred Crawford, 2326 Biddle street, 35 miles, \$35. A charge of operating his car with its muffler cut off, against Crawford, was dismissed on payment of costs; Elmer F. Simpson, 2718 North Twenty-first street, 30 miles, dismissed on costs; John McGucken, 3211 Brantner place, 28 miles, dismissed, on costs; Benjamin W. Bell, 30 miles, \$30; Fred Crawford, 2326 Biddle street, 35 miles, \$35. A charge of operating his car with its muffler cut off, against Crawford, was dismissed on payment of costs; Elmer F. Simpson, 2718 North Twenty-first street, 30 miles, dismissed on costs; John McGucken, 3211 Brantner place, 28 miles, dismissed, on costs; Benjamin W. Bell, 30 miles, \$30; Fred Crawford, 2326 Biddle street, 35 miles, \$35. 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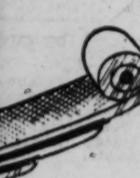
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THE NAVAL VETERANS' ASSOCIATION will meet Thursday evening at the Knights of Columbus hall, 12th and Locust streets, to receive a report from the chairman of the committee on the training center classes at the North End. "Grand Center," the new industrial home for disabled veterans, will be dedicated Saturday morning at 10 a.m. at the First Methodist Church, which will deliver an address on "Faith." A representative of the St. Louis chapter of the American Legion will describe the work of that organization.

PHILADELPHIA, FEB. 11.—GENERAL SECRETARY of the St. Louis Purse Mills Association, Mrs. George W. Simmons, on his experience in Russia. At its last meeting the association heard the report of the applications of army nurses for members. The association has decided to make a contribution from the nurses. Any member of any post of the American Legion will be asked to send his name to the Purse Mills and notify the Post Commander, Christopher M. Farra, at his office, Olive 2603.

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IF YOU LOSE ANYTHING advertise for it in the Lost and Found columns.

DEATHS

WERER—Entered into rest on Tuesday, March 24, 1920, at 10 a.m., Mrs. Mary Werer, widow of William and Mary Hosterman (nee Weber), and our dear grandmother, great grandmother, Mrs. Anna Remmels, died Sunday morning, 342 Shenandoah Avenue. Notice of funeral later.

WEISER—Died Feb. 23, 1920, at 10:23 a.m., Clara Weigel, sister of the late Harry Weigel, and Harry Furtin, Funeral from H. Hinckley's funeral parlor, 10th and Locust boulevard, Wednesday, Feb. 25, at 2:30 p.m.

WILLIAMS—Ladies, please copy.

UNDEUTKERS

PEETZ BROS.

Funeral chapel, 2739 Lafayette av.; auto and carriage funerals; no charge for chapel.

PERSONAL

ADOPTION—Blonde, dark-eyed baby boy, excellent parents. Box T-41. (c)

PERSONAL

CLARENCE—Come home at once. Box T-41. (c)

PERSONAL—Post Father wants to see you. Box 4041 Oakland av. (c)

PERSONAL—Took your answer to my ad, but have been out of town; make appointment. Box Q-280 Post-Dispatch. (c)

SPECIAL NOTICES

MOVING TO CALIFORNIA? If so, save on freight by sharing car with me. Call Cabany 1188. (c)

LOST and FOUND

LOST

BAG—Will party who took taupo violet bag at Altenbergs' card party kindly return glass and change book; reward \$228. Central 5747. (c)

BOOK—Lost. Please return to owner. (c)

BAG PIN—Lost; gold; diamond; small diamonds. Return to Roberta, 444 Riverton, 187. (c)

HEADS—Lost; pearl beads; in West End. Saturday night; reward. Cabany 1188. (c)

HEADS—Lost; short string of pearl beads; Monday, between 11 and 2 p.m. Grand 1432R. (c)

BRACELET—Lost; gold, initials M. L., small diamonds; in West End. Reward and well-worn. 1820 Hodiamont. (c)

BRACELET—Lost; gold; initials W. K., other metal; at 6th and Olive. Call at 6th and Olive, or University Park. (c)

BRACELET—Lost; gold, Saturday, downtown or near Forest Park; reward. Call Forest 567; reward. (c)

BRACELET—Lost; gold, initials M. L., small diamonds; in West End. Reward and well-worn. 1820 Hodiamont. (c)

CUFF LINK—Lost; gold amethyst cuff link in the Guard's International. (c)

CHAIN—Lost; watch chain and knife. (c)

KEY—Lost; keychain; leather belt. (c)

LEONORI STORAGE CO.—Lost; between Caffeine and Winter Garden; initials M. S. (c)

LEONORI STORAGE CO.—Lost; one golden monogram cuff link in the Guard's International. (c)

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CERS—\$27
per week;
work.
UMBRIA
ANSFER
Broadway
Spruce.

A mature winter; must
stop exposure; steady per-
sonal; good references. (c)
ERATOR—White must
be energetic; salary \$18. (c)
EER—Steel, die, to help
refrigerating. Apply
at 10 a.m. (c)
—For printing department;
10 years, \$10 to start. Ap-
ply at 10 a.m. (c)

BOYS—\$8 per week,
ELECTROTYPE CO.,
st. (c)

rt. Apply boiler room, St.
John, 10th and Chestnut.
Required for steam boiler
Mfr Co. 125 West Davis.
experienced; references re-
quired. Mr. Malone, Sanitor
Co., 16th and Chestnut. (c)

— Experienced on
ft boiler; good wages;
k.

ENVELOPE CO.,
638 S. 6th St. (c)

ERS—Experienced,
men's outer gar-

STEWART'S NEW

415 N. 6th st. (c)

would like to employ a young
man as helper or foreman or
man in a pants or overall
factory. Box E-162, P.D. (c)

K—Registered; married; ref-
position for right man. (c)

N—Millwright, fami-
carpenter work; ex-
in industrial plant.
Post-Dispatch. (c)

HANDS—Experi-
Champion Shoe Ma-
co., 3727 Forest Park
(c)

CERY CLERK
next-man; steady position;
packing co., 2800 Market. (c)

DCRY MEN
department; must have ex-
perience and good salary to fit

PACKING CO., 2800 Market. (c)

LERK—Experienced. 620 N.
Main. (c)

LERK—To drive Ford deliv-
ery. Apply 4200 Olive. (c)

ACKERS—Experienced; must be
good; 11th and Chestnut. (c)

N—in blacksmith shop, Call 1100
and 10th. (c)

EN. Ten, Apple, Wednesday
Mississippi Valley Iron
Co., 10th and Chestnut. (c)

R.—H. B. Co., 800 Delmar. (c)

S—To assist in loading
mobiles; 35¢ per hour.
MOTOR CAR CO., 4400
(c)

— Experienced. Maryland Hotel,
10th and Chestnut. (c)

ELEVATOR OPERA-
tor, Apply room 601, Carlton
Hotel, 10th and Chestnut. (c)

I MAKER—Linke's Candy Kite
Nashville av., East St. Louis. (c)

ERS—Apply engine rooms, St.
O'Fallon at 10th. (c)

S—Machine shop; who can lead
employment, 10th and Chestnut. (c)

KERS—Either ornamental iron
shop; helper; steady position to
work; good pay; good refer-
ences. (c)

RON WORKERS
helpers, punch hands,
th. stair builders, for
tal iron work.

SCHMITT WIRE &
IRON CO.,
1815 N. 23d St. (c)

Colored; able to drive an
truck; good references. (c)

OPTOR—Good. Buschart Bros.,
no. 1427 Locust. (c)

FIDER—Steady work. Huy-
son, 10th and Chestnut. (c)

M—Good wages. Allen-
chemical Co., 17th and Chestnut.
case. (c)

For foundry work, St. Louis
Casting Co., 7800 N. Broadway.
East St. Louis. (c)

To work in scrap iron yard;
W. A. Warshafsky & M. Co.
ark. (c)

ST. LOUIS CAR CO.,
Second. (c)

RS—For warehouse
construction works. Ap-
lafayette. (c)

LABORERS
Laborers for Buick
Motor Co.

9-hour day; good chance for
ick Employment Office

NDS—Agent, Sales Reps.,
Inc., 211 Cheutro. (c)

HELP WANTED—MEN, BOYS

LABORERS—FOR LUM-
BER YARD,
148 CARROLL ST. (c)

EMBER PILERS—Men and laborers; steady
work; good pay. New Chelmsford
Lumber Co., 214 Branch st. (c)

EMBER PILERS—Experienced men; steady
work; good pay. Wabash Lumber Co.,
Clyde. (c)

MACHINIST—First class all around. John
Hammond, Co., 308 S. First. (c)

MACHINIST—First class lathe hand. 270
Locust. (c)

MACHINIST—To operate bolt threads. New
Casting Co., 7800 N. Broadway. (c)

MACHINIST—For repairing punch press
apply to 10th and Locust Dept., Century
Electric Co., 1815 Pine. (c)

STEEL CAR MEN—AMERI-
CAN CAR & FOUNDRY CO.,
Madison, Ill. (c)

MEN—By chemical mfg. plant;
steady work. Apply 119 Lafay-
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STERNOGRAPHER—Experienced young man;
man and general men; good wages; (c)

For advancement, Post-Dispatch. (c)

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TUESDAY,
FEBRUARY 24, 1936.

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FLATS AND APTS. WANTED

\$10 REWARD

ACT QUICKLY

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COTTAGE Wid.—To lease or rent, 5 or 6 rooms; residence, bungalow or flat; suburban or city; best references. Phone Webster 4-5647.

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1000-ft. lot, 1000-ft. frontage, 100-ft. deep.

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chicken house; no agents. Olive 5240.

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BUILDING MATERIALS

WANTED BUSINESS PURPOSES

TO LET-BUSINESS PURPOSES

STORE—Broadway, 27th St.—Store for 2 1/2

years; suitable for tailor shop or other business. \$15.

CENTRAL

DUESKROOM—1020 Boatmen's Bank Bldg.

Olive 4169.

LOCUST 2714—Stores for rent or lease; va-

cant March 1. Call 208 S. 17th st. (c)

WEST

EASTON 4244—Pine store, corner, with or

without rooms; steam heat and hot water.

furnished will decorate. Inquire, Palms

504.

GARAGES AND STABLES

HOUSE—Modern 3-room brick located at

6th and Market. 1000-ft. cash will arrange

a date with buyer. Apple 604.

CONRAD L. SCHOPP, 822 Chestnut St. (c)

BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR SALE

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PROPERT—For sale or wif trade for in-

come bearing property in St. Louis. 444

front room, 2nd floor, 1000 ft. off station, auto supplies or buildings of

any kind. Call Delmar 1082.

WEST

COTTAGE—6-room brick; vacant; modern

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CALEFIELD & LEWIS, Agents. Box 21

COTTAGE—4-room brick; vacant; comfor-

table; 2000 ft. off street; 1000 ft. off street.

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Loaned to anyone to buy or build their own

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A New Shop Dedicated to the Feminine Sex of St. Louis

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Specializing in New York's Latest Fashions

For Women and Misses
Coats, Wraps, Suits,
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Get yours tomorrow—don't delay another day!

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\$18 J. & M. & Clapp Shoes, \$14.50**

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712 Olive Street

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"LETTER OF THE LAW" SAVERS OF GALSWORTHY

Frenchman's Play Strongly Portrays Frequent Rigorous Injustice of Rigorous Law.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Savoring strongly of John Galsworthy's "Justice" in its vigor and purpose and resembling that play also in the fearlessness with which it attacks and exposes the evils of court procedure and the administration of criminal law, Eugene Brieux's "The Letter of the Law" is a potent example of the good use to which the dramatic stage can be put when it raises its voice against social wrong. The play has long been in print in an excellent English translation—dramatically it is infinitely superior to those other two propaganda plays by Brieux, "Damaged Goods" and "Maternity"—but it did not reach the stage in New York until yesterday when at the Criterion both Lionel Barrymore and Doris Rankin distinguished themselves in its two leading roles.

Injustice Is the Theme.

Rigorous law is often rigorous injustice; the play is the judicial theme. "Justice" argued for leniency to the first offender in the English courts. "The Letter of the Law" points out the injustice to prisoners in French judicial process. There is thus a common denominator between the two plays and the same conflict of law, which applies with almost equal directness to the machinery of the law in this country, although one would hesitate to admit that our judges and prosecutors are so much influenced by social and political considerations as Brieux declares to be the case in France.

Aside from its propagandistic purpose, "The Letter of the Law" is also a human and engrossing drama that appeals as directly to the heart as to the mind. Its story of the wreck of the life of an innocent but helpless victim of the courts and the utter ruin to which his wife and family are brought contains the note of real tragedy—tragedy which is the more moving because it is so unquestionably true.

As for the manner in which the play is written, it is sometimes conversational, at an excessive degree. It is also extremely volatile in keeping with the Latin natures of its characters. Its craftsmanship is not as expert as one might desire. The second act, for instance, is nearly as long as all the rest of the play. Yet this second act, in spite of its tedious lengths of questioning and cross-questioning, is in itself a powerful indictment of what, in the practice of our police system, we know as the "third degree."

Scene in Southern France.

The characters are the judicial officials and their wives in a town in Southern France. All are eager for promotion or are looking for political or social preferment. There are later scenes now convictions in their courts so when a murderer is committed some one must be singled out as the law's victim. An innocent man is accused of the crime and arrested, and the remainder of the play is the utter ruin which befalls him through the legal methods with which his trumped-up case is conducted.

He is acquitted, but meanwhile his wife is disgraced, his family is impoverished and his happiness is ruined. For all this the innocent man has no redress. But his wife then brushes aside the law, takes justice into her own hands and kills the tormentor, the examining magistrate, who has defended his cause by the end that he has acted only according to the prescribed laws.

Lionel Barrymore gives a vigorous and vivid performance as Mouzon, the examining magistrate, who in the final scene is killed by the prisoner's distracted wife, whom he has hounded and disgraced. It was a remarkably bitter, but truthful embodiment of a human monster masquerading in the robes of justice. Dramatically, however, it afforded fewer emotional opportunities than the role of the victim, which fell to Doris Rankin, and to which she arose in two episodes in the play with singular emotional intensity. Rush Whately also aided the play by his portrayal of an idealistic prosecutor who, while being persecuted by the prisoner's innocence, makes possible his acquittal.

Charles White was pathetic in the role of the law's victim, and there were others whose acting helped to enforce significance of a drama of unusual persuasive power and human interest.

Get yours tomorrow—don't delay another day!

THEATER TO INCREASE PRICES

The New Grand Central Theater, Grand and Lucas avenue, has joined the movement of moving picture shows to increase admission prices. Next Sunday prices will be increased from 20 to 25 cents for matinee seats, and after 6 p. m. the charge will be 40 cents on the lower floor and 25 in the balcony, instead of the present 30 and 20-cent prices. The figures given include war tax.

William Sievers, manager, says the increase is due to increased film rental which is in turn due to the high salaries of stars, and to higher cost of labor and materials.

TEACHER FOR 27 YEARS DIES

Miss Clara Weigel Succumbs After Six Months' Illness.

Miss Clara Weigel, 56 years old, who was for 27 years a teacher in the public schools, died yesterday at her home, 5769 Kingsbury boulevard. She had been ill for six months from a complication of diseases. She had taught in the Charless and Monroe schools.

The funeral will be held at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow, from an undertaker's chapel at 5216 Delmar boulevard to Mount Sinai Cemetery.

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An Attractive February Sale for Wednesday Will Be This Offering of

1200 New Spring Blouses

Presenting \$3 to \$5.98 Values in Two Groups—\$2.45 and \$3.45

But for the excellent assistance of two Waist manufacturers, this event would have been next to impossible. The 1200 Blouses were made especially for us, and in styles that daintily delineate Springtime's newest ideas. Feminine admirers of these graceful cotton Blouses will buy several of them at the following special prices. No mail or phone orders accepted:

\$3, \$3.50 & \$3.75 Blouses

700 Blouses, made of batiste, dimity and plain striped and plaid voiles. A score of styles, three as illustrated. New effects in Buster Brown and long collar styles. Many blouses are edged in delightful new ways with braid and lace. Shown in white and combination colors. Sizes 34 to 46.

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Third Floor

Sale of Toilet Goods

For Wednesday, Offering Extraordinary Economies

If ever you had good cause to lay in a big supply of Toilet Articles, this sale presents that opportunity. The magnitude of this event can be judged from the fact that we have commanded practically the entire Main Floor Center Aisle, extending from Sixth to Seventh streets. Almost one entire block of Toilet Goods! And all at savings that are extraordinary. We reserve the right to restrict quantities and prices prevail while stock on hand remains. No mail or phone orders will be accepted.

Face Creams

Ingram's Milkweed Cream—3c and 75c
Pond's Vanishing Cream—18c and 33c
Palimolve Cream—35c
Pompeian Massage Cream—35c
Lazelle's Jap Honeysuckle—35c
Pond's—35c
Roger & Gallet's Fleur de Amour—1.05
Nordstrom's Russian Perfume—Individual \$1.50 and \$1.95
Soul Kiss Perfume, per tube—25c
Perin's Cream, 60c size—45c
Palmer's Perfume, various odors—45c

Face Powders

Freeman's Face Powder—50c
Jain's Face Powder—35c
Roger & Gallet's Violette—50c
Bourjois Madeline—27c
Power L'Ame, 6 oz. size—42c
La Biennale Face Powder—47c
Mary Garden Face Powder shades—47c
Mary Garden Face Powder—50c
Roger & Gallet's Antaea Face Powder—50c
Gessamer Face Powder—18c
Swanson's Face Powder—15c
Dior Kiss Face Powder—18c
Dior Kiss Face Powder—1.10 size—45c
Frederick D'Oyley Face Powder—18c
Rogers' Gallerie Rose Powder—18c
pink and white—35c
Perin's 30c Face Powder—22c

Bacchelli's Creme
White or green—4 lb.
factory cut; 1 lb.
bar to a customer
jar—\$34c

Horlick's Malted Milk—large
size—2 to a customer
jar—\$2.50

Lambert's Liner—large
size—2 to a customer
jar—\$3c

Palmolive Face Powder—11
ounces, two to per box—25c

Cuticura Soap—limit 2 to customer—19c

Phenolax Waters—Upholst.
Co.'s standard
size—2 to a customer
bottle—16c

Milken's Physiolog.
Antiseptic Absorbent Cotton
pound—48c

Jatum—the well
known hair dye
all shades—18c

Farr's Hair Restorer—50c
Pinhead Hair Tonic—50c—82c
Dandierine—25c, 44c, 75c
Herculean—35c, 50c
Musoidal Cocoon—35c
Canute Water—35c
De Lucy's Hair Tonic—69c
Dr. Cates' Anti-Pyorrhoea, 35c
Sozoderm, 25c
Oxide, 25c
Petrol Hahn, large size—\$1.05

samples of Tooth Brushes, 15c

Samples of Nail Brushes, 19c

Hughes' Ideal Hairbrushes, No. 66—\$1.05

\$1. Ritter Comb, straight or perfect—45c

Marvin Whirling Sprays—\$2.50

Powder Puffers, 8-inch, 12c

Everbright Comb, straight or perfect—45c

Pullman Hairbrushes, open
hand, 8-row bristles—75c

House Chamomile Skin, 12c—\$1.14

Talc—25c

Aluminum Sponges—\$2.35

Rubber Toothbrush Holders, 12c

Large Rubber Sponges—10c

Sea Salt Hand Pack—20c

Requa Manicure Sets—20c

Main Floor

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Rouges, Etc.

Uoline Russian Mineral Oil—2 to a customer—oz. bottle—49c

Borax Products

20-Mule Team Borax, 1 lb., 8c
20-Mule Team Borax, 5 pounds—40c
20-Mule Team Borax Soap, Chips, small—8c
20-Mule Team Boraxo, small—10c

Medicines

Sal Hepatitis—35c, 60c
Pleister's Castoria—35c
Lydia Pinkham's Veg. Compound—35c
Lydia Pinkham's Blood Tonic—35c

Toilet Soaps

Woodbury's Facial Soap—3 cakes for 50c each, 19c
Resinol Soap—3 cakes for 50c each, 19c
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Pearl's Sweet Soap, 18c
Jergen's Violet Glycerine Soap—35c
Kirk's Jeleni Soap—35c
3 cakes for 50c each, 19c
Packer's Tar Soap—3 cakes for 50c each, 18c
4711 Dr. Jeleni Lotion—18c, 35c, 50c
3 cakes for 50c each, 18c
Dove's Lotion—18c, 35c, 50c
Evans' Deodorant—65c
El Rado Deodorant—40c

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Medicines

Scott's Emulsion, 1g. size, 94c
Philip's Milk of Magnesia, 25c
Hinton's Liniment, 12c—\$1.00
Aspirin Tablets, per dozen—8c
Beecham's Pills, 15c
Tablets—65c
Block Magnesia, per dozen
cakes—35c
Seidlitz Powders, 10 lb. box—25c
Cutlera Ointment—35c
Methiolatum—10c, 25c
Nujol, 2-ounce bottle—35c

Rubber Shaving Brushes

No. 375—limit 2 to a customer—per
dozen—42c

Williams' Holder Top Shaving Sticks

large size—2 to a customer—22c

Sundries

Hinda's Honey & Almond Cream—limit 2 to a customer—39c

Jergen's White Hand Soap

large size—2 to a customer—50c

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Women's Features
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1920.

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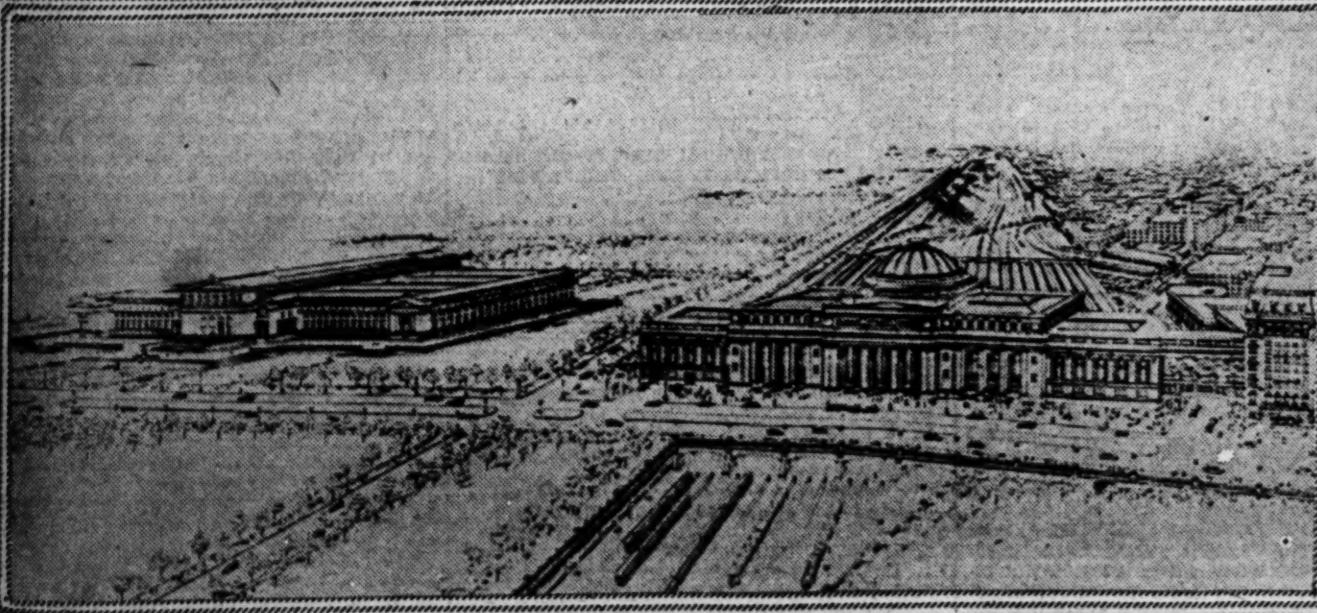
Popular Comics
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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1920.



Mrs. James Keeler of Bronx, N. Y., with her fullblooded wolf pet "Woodsie."
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Miss Peggy March and her son Tony, who figures in the romantic claim to \$50,000,000 of the great fortune inherited by Henry Field, as grandson of Marshall Field, Chicago's multimillionaire.
—World Wide Photos.



Bird's-eye view of the new Illinois Central Depot at Chicago as it will appear on the lake front when plans for electrification of the road are completed.
—Underwood & Underwood.



Bishop Theodore Morrison of Iowa who is to speak this week at the Episcopal Noonday Lenten services in the Kinloch Building.



Everett McGowan of St. Paul, who won the International outdoor skating championship at Lake Placid, N. Y.
—Underwood & Underwood.



Capt. G. H. Wilkins, M. C., who will explore unknown regions about the South Pole in a gigantic airplane.
—Underwood & Underwood.



Miss Rose Johnson of Chicago, winner of the women's championship at the recent international skating meet at Lake Placid, N. Y.
—Underwood & Underwood.



The walking doll craze in Paris and London has reached America. Miss Louise Glau, movie star, is here shown with one of the preambulating puppets on Broadway, New York.
—Underwood & Underwood.



Frank Rose, aviator, performing the "stunt" of jumping from an auto to a ladder suspended from an airplane while both plane and auto were traveling 70 miles an hour. The top portrait is of Lieut. J. C. Johnson, pilot of the airplane, and at the bottom Frank Rose.

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Oil — 2 to customer
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Jergens' Beeswax
& Almond Lotion
—limit 2 to a customer
per ... 21c

California Type
of Flax Liniment
—limit 2 to a customer
per ... 39c

Gal. Hepatic—
fresh stock —
small size —
per pkgs. 18c

Walther's Milk
Milk Soap—per
oxide, talcum,
witchazel, etc.
—limit 1 doz. to
customer — per
doz. cake .40c

Rubberized Shaving
Brushes —
No. 376—limit 2
to customer —
per each .42c

Williams' Hold-
er Top Shaving
Sticks — large
size — 3 to
customer. 22c

Hazle Honey &
Almond Cream
—limit 2 to
customer. 39c

Jergens' Witch
Hazel Soap &
cakes, 25c.
or, per cake. 5c

Palmolive Soap,
6 cakes for 45c.
or, per cake. 8c

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I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles, that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be drastically independent; never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULITZER.
April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Rapid Transit.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
Your editorials of Jan. 18, entitled "Give Us Service" and of Feb. 12 regarding urban rapid transit service are interesting indeed. Is it not, however, expecting too much of a privately owned institution like our street railway system, organized for profit, that it should render adequate service to the public? Is it not rather more logical to expect that the present system will impose upon the public the grossly inadequate service or rather lack of service just so long as the public will tolerate it?

This, as you say, is a costly thing for the city. It has been estimated that an adequate rapid-transit system, in addition to the elimination of over-crowded cars and long waiting for same, will accomplish a saving of time worth at least \$50,000,000 per year to the people of the city. No sum of which this saving is a fair rate of interest is much greater than would be required to construct such system of rapid transit facilities for our city.

The public alone is supporting and paying dearly for the abominable and wasteful service that it gets, and the public alone can stand up to demand such adequate service as will promote the business and the prosperity and growth of our city. Real adequate service at a minimum cost can only be had by a rapid transit system of subways, depressed and elevated lines such as are suggested by our Public Ownership League.

There should be, for example, a four-track subway, to give local and express service, from Eighth street out Washington avenue to the city limits, and a similar combined subway, elevated and depressed lines from O'Fallon Park to Carondelet Park, parallel with Grand avenue. This can be added in time a belt line skirting the city, connecting, and so closing in along the river front. With these transportation facilities publicly owned and operated at a minimum of cost consistent with good service, our city will be taken out of the category of a country village and become one of the truly great cities of the world.

WILLIAM HENRY GRUEN.

Savage Too Savage.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
In your editorial, "The Flume Instance," under date of the 17th inst., in the fourth line of the fifth paragraph you use the words: "Savage conditions," referring to some of the conditions France insisted upon from Germany and Austria. I make bold to take issue with the word "savage" in this case, for with due respect to your editorial, which is written in the interest of justice and progressive co-operation for the salvation of Europe, it does our former ally a grave injustice. The words harsh, stern, and rigorous would any of them be more appropriate. The word "savage" implies uncivilized, cruel, brutal, fierce. In due justice to one to whom justice is due and who felt the iron heel and mailed fist of the descendants of Attila, do you not think that it would be but natural that some of the conditions demanded by devastated France be but harsh, severe and stern? It would be absurd to expect France, bled white, crippled and exhausted to request Germany to "go, evil spirit, go thy way, come back with more hell some more convenient day?"

J. F. MUSSERAND.

Bookkeepers' Salaries.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
It may interest some readers of the people's column in your paper to know what may turn up from advertisements placed in newspapers by business houses seeking employees.

I have found one that reads something like this:

"Bookkeeper—Experienced; large mfg. concern. Come well recommended."

A few days brought a reply offering a salary of \$70 per month to start.

These people make more money from their employees than they do from their easiest customer and stand second to none in America's long chain of profiteers.

Another answer I received from a company that was willing to sacrifice the enormous sum of \$2.25 (without room or board) in exchange to save men for a day's work.

It seems to me people would be ashamed to mention a salary so unreasonably small, and I would advise young men who may be contemplating leaving their present employment that jobs are as scarce as pink elephants, in the capacity of clerk.

N. B. G.

Comfort Stations.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
As we are to vote on a \$24,000,000 bond issue next May for bridges, farms and new cells in the city jail, comfort stations are not mentioned about the city. We should have comfort stations at all important transfer points where the streets are wide enough to build them underground, as they have in some eastern towns. I also would suggest that the bridge at South Broadway and King's highway be closed, as every bridge has a name. Why not call it "Pineapple Bridge" as the only time it is used is when the Honorable Mayor goes to the Century Boat club to play pinochle. This bridge cost \$45,000 and I never saw an auto or wagon pass over it yet. Will someone who knows tell me why it was built?

H. C. W.

RATIFY THE TREATY.

When the Democratic Senators go into caucus to decide their policy with reference to the peace treaty, they should seriously consider whether they ought to stand against ratification of the treaty with reservations which they may think unnecessary, or even objectionable, from the standpoint of America's right spirit and attitude in entering into the League of Nations.

The question for the Democratic Senators who have stood for the treaty with or without interpretations is to determine sincerely whether the reservations insisted upon by the main body of Republicans will nullify the great object of the covenant to prevent aggression and injustice and to preserve the peace of the world against any sort of militarism or unrighteous greed. They ought to object only to reservations which are offensive to other signatories and which will actually militate against the safeguarding of rights and liberties of weak peoples or the preservation of peace. Personal and party considerations should be laid aside.

The vital purpose of the covenant—the heart of it—is contained in the articles from 11 to 18, inclusive, which provide for inquiry into any threat of war, for investigation of disputes between nations and for arbitration of all international controversies which might lead to war. The articles provide ample powers and the machinery for dealing with international differences, for salutary publicity and delay and pledge the nations to stand together and work together against any form of aggression, military ambition and conquest. They provide methods for the reduction of armaments by agreement. They provide for open diplomacy. The leaguing of the nations for these measures of equity and peace would be a tremendous advance and would go far toward guaranteeing justice, liberty and peace. They would even, if carried into effect sincerely and effectively, serve the objects of Article 10 in so far as they are in accord with right, and nowhere is the covenant designed, or ought it to be used, to sustain wrong.

In urging the Democratic Senators to co-operate in ratifying the treaty, with the best reservations that can be obtained, we do not in any wise minimize the duty of Republican Senators who support the treaty and the covenant to meet them half way. They should co-operate sincerely in the effort to adjust differences of opinion with an eye single to the ratification of the treaty and the covenant in a form which will be acceptable to other signatory powers and which will preserve the great objects of the covenant and will afford a sound basis for co-operation in revising the treaty, stabilizing free political institutions and establishing sound economic conditions.

The issue now is between those who want the treaty ratified and those who do not want the treaty or the League of Nations. The supporters of the treaty should get together against the opponents of the treaty, to end the treaty blockade. The great majority of the people want the treaty ratified. But we firmly believe that they do not want the treaty injected into a political campaign in which the question of what kind of reservations should be adopted would confuse the public mind. Both sides of the Senate have a majority for ratification, the difference being merely on the question of the precise words in which the reservations shall be expressed.

Under these conditions the only sane course open for the friends of the treaty is that of conciliation and co-operation to put the treaty into effect. There has been enough debate and enough vote maneuvering. Enough harm has been done by delay. Action is the word now.

We know that even the Lodge reservations will be accepted by the allies. We know that the President's mind is more conciliatory than it was on the question of reservations. Let the treaty be ratified with the best reservations that can be framed and sent to Mr. Wilson. He cannot do less in the cause of peace and order and the interest of humanity and civilization than to submit it to the other Powers.

We shall then be in position to work with the other signatory Powers for conditions that make for justice, peace and prosperity.

PEACE WITH RUSSIA.

The report that the British and Italian Premiers favor resumption of trade with Russia may be accepted as credible. Indeed, it probably is but a polite preliminary to the announcement that commercial relations have been resumed. What else is there

but the war against Russia has been lost. True, it never has been vigorously waged. Nevertheless, it has cost Great Britain as much as the Boer War did. The result of the campaign is that the Soviet Government is stronger today than it ever has previously been. Its armies are victorious everywhere, it is on good, or improving, terms with its immediate neighbors. And apparently it is functioning as a civil government. Reports recently published in the Post-Dispatch of first-hand investigators who cannot be suspected of being special pleaders disclose a measure of stability in the Soviet regime, together with the support of such public sentiment as may be discovered.

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One of the reasons for the cheery prospects of the present is that we have more dreamers than we used to have—more men of vision. They seem to be dreaming to some purpose. St. Louis needs more illusions.

EDITORIAL SPARKS.

If face powder was explosive, enough could be collected from the Elizabethtown girls to blow up the Rock of Gibraltar.—Elizabethtown News.

D'Annunzio will not make that flight from Italy to the United States. Sometimes when we hear things are not coming our way, they really are.—Detroit News.

"If you don't behave better, I'll send you to bed without any supper." "You're always trying to save on the grocery bills, ma."—Boston Transcript.

If there were no other fools in the world we would be more dissatisfied with ourselves than ever.—Chicago News.

Money per capita in this country at the present time is about \$47. Not enough to pay taxes.—Toldeo Blade.

It may be enough to tell San Salvador that our Monroe Doctrine resembles electricity; we don't know just what it is, but we do know what it will do.—Boston Transcript.

A St. Louis man was fined \$600 for selling liquor. Here in Houston the provident association will never listen to anybody who tells them it is cheaper to give it away.—Houston Post.

It is an ill wind that blows nobody good. Prohibition has restored the golden age in the West Indies.

as to letting Russia manage its own affairs. Better late than never, though. And from this decision both Russia and the rest of the world will profit. Each is very necessary to the other's well being. It is said, however, that the resumption of trade does not mean the resumption of diplomatic relations. But that attitude of international snobishness will pass, too. A half-hearted peace with Russia would be as foolish and futile as a half-hearted war has proved.

ESSENTIALS OF WATERWAY SUCCESS.

On his transfer to the retired list of the army Col. Curtis McD. Townsend, one of the most distinguished living engineers, gives to the Post-Dispatch conclusions in which are embodied his 30 years of waterway experience, gained not merely on the Mississippi system of rivers, but on the Great Lakes.

On the conviction that has been a guide during a large part of his professional life, the cheapness and practical value to the nation of water transportation in the valley, the Colonel continues unfaltering. Rather, he has been fortified in this conviction by his studies of recent years. "Water in inland rivers can be made to carry more cheaply than rails," he declares. "The task now is to prove through existing agencies a fact some of us know. Then the future will take care of itself."

The chief of these "existing agencies" is the barge line, concerning which he submits conclusions that are the more valuable because based on actual details of operation. The barge line cannot be made a success with old, high-cost, inefficient equipment. It cannot be made a success with a present overhead cost of \$272,000 for salaries on present volume of business. It cannot be made a success with the existing loss of 23.4 per cent due to delays while waiting for cargoes at St. Louis and New Orleans.

But he records a most convincing judgment that it can be made a great success with the removal of the obvious handicaps due to these causes. The ratio of overhead to volume of business must be reduced by large decrease in the former and a manifold increase in the latter. Relative power costs must be reduced by better tow boats. The fleet must be so augmented that barges will at all times be loaded at both ends of the route, tow boats on arriving being enabled to leave at once without expensive delays in port. On this one detail vital results depend.

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Interfering Relatives

By Sophie Irene Loeb.

Never Interfere With People When Happiness Is on the Scales.

A YOUNG woman writes to me as follows:

"Through the jealousy of a relative, who resorted to every possible way of lies and insinuations of all kinds, there was caused a separation which cannot seem to be healed between myself and some one who meant to me a true happiness.

"I am making a hard fight to forget, but it is a mighty hard struggle, because I guess I care so much.

"My case is closed, and there can be no re-opening, but you may help some others who have gone through a little of my grief."

"When, oh, when, will people truly learn to live the life of somebody else?"

"When, oh, when, will meddling relatives quit settling our affairs?"

"It is a wise soul who said: 'Our relatives are thrust upon us, but we can choose our friends.'

"I have seen more sorrow, more trials, more lives broken by the relatives who took it upon himself to act for another, presuming it to be for the other's good."

"Their intentions, though in some cases well-meaning, have brought disastrous results, and, as a reward, they have found themselves cordially hated and avoided."

"The reason is that they have assumed too much responsibility—responsibility that is unsolicited."

"The safe and sane course for relatives to pursue would be to give advice or act only when it is sought on voluntary basis."

"Nearly every time that they act otherwise than the more strongly exemplify the above epigram, and the aggrieved party always looks upon them as unneccesary evils that have been 'thrust' upon them."

"There is no excuse (outside of, a

mother, father or guardian, of a dependent one), for a relative to be a person which exercised in the affairs of their kin."

Each must go on his own way and bear the burden of his mistakes. It works out generally the better way. It certainly makes for less estrangement and more continued friendship as between relatives.

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BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES

Peter Cannot Keep His Tongue Still

By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

A boasting tongue as sure as fate Will trip its owner soon or late.

In a very, very boastful way.

Sammy Jay didn't interrupt once. When Peter finished Sammy laughed as heartily as Peter did himself. "That is a joke on Reddy," said he. "I guess he'll feel pretty small when he hears about it."

"Oh, Sammy," cried timid little Mrs. Peter in alarm, "he mustn't hear about it. He mustn't, Sammy! He makes us trouble enough now as it is."

"Reddy Fox," replied Sammy Jay, and his eyes twinkled more than ever.

Little Mrs. Peter turned up her nose. "He isn't no friend of ours, you know it, Sammy Jay," said she indignantly.

Peter said nothing, but began to chuckle. He chuckled as if he were thinking of something which tickled him immensely. Sammy Jay looked at him sharply. "What are you chuckling about?" he demanded.

"Tell me about it," said Sammy Jay.

Peter did. He told all about how he had sat still right in plain sight of Reddy Fox and how Reddy had passed close to him without seeing him. He made a very big story of it and quite forgot to say that the reason he had sat so perfectly still was because he had intended to do anything else. And he forgot to tell how the Merry Little Breezes had buried up a snow cloud and covered him with snow just in the very nick of time. The fact is, Peter took all the credit to himself and he did

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The Palatable Potato

STARCH is the principal content of potatoes, so they cannot be used as a substitute for meat or any of the protein or "building" foods. Nevertheless they are valuable as an energy-producing and nourishing food and are used for almost every meal in some form or another, so new suggestions for their preparation will not be amiss.

Delmonico Potatoes. One-half cup mashed potatoes; one and one-half cups sifted flour, two heaping teaspoons baking powder, one cup milk, one heaping teaspoon lard and one-half level teaspoon salt. Sift the dry ingredients together and work in the potato and lard. Add enough milk to make a soft dough. Knead slightly and cut into biscuits with cutter. Place in greased baking pan and brush over the top with melted fat or milk. Bake in hot oven for quarter of an hour.

Hungarian Potatoes. Four level cups cooked potatoes (diced); three tablespoons liquid fat; one level tablespoon chopped onion; two level tablespoons parsley, cut fine; two level cups tomatoes; one level teaspoon salt and 3½ level teaspoons paprika; brown onion in fat and add potatoes and remaining ingredients except parsley. Bake in covered greased pan in moderate oven for half an hour. Garnish with the parsley and serve.

Potato Cakes. Make small cakes of cold mashed potatoes, dip in egg and

How a Business Man Hopes to Solve WITH A STRICTLY BUSINESS PROPOSITION The Servant Question in His Home

HOUSE GIRL
\$25 PER MONTH
AND
\$2500 CASH.

We offer to make a contract with a capable, experienced woman to do our general housework. She will receive \$25 a month, pay her \$25 a month and at the end of the six years will pay her an additional \$2500 in cash. This will give her regular weekly relief from duty. Vacations will be arranged at a personal interview. This offer is from a reputable family in St. Louis and the woman will be given every opportunity and ability to carry out all the terms of the contract. The woman will be given a chance to plan for her future and who has a desire to honestly render service to a family will be given a guaranteed wage. Box D-375, Post-Dispatch.



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provided with spending money. In addition I shall place to her credit in our building and loan association a certain number of shares of stock which, maturing in six years with interest at 9 per cent and dividends increasing as applied to stock, will amount to something more than \$2,500, the difference between which will make her a present of."

Then with pencil and paper he went into details as to how he arrived at these conclusions. But, due to an old law, he could not afford to perfect wife I fear I cannot tell you how he did it. Anticipating just such stupidity in other applicants, he had the whole problem reduced to an elemental form upon a typewritten sheet, with \$1 as the basis for figuring interest and dividends, and the compounding of the same, and this was typewritten in duplicate upon sheets which the applicant could take home and study at her leisure.

"Now," said the financier, "where this plan is an improvement upon the bonus system from the standpoint of the employee, is in the fact that the employee is not obliged to remain six years in order to profit. If any unforeseen circumstances necessitate the withdrawal of one or the other parties to the contract, the stockholder in the building and loan association may withdraw her investment with its duly earned dividends and interest to date. She will have a deposit book which will keep her always informed of the state of her investment. There is, however, an advantage in remaining in until the stock matures, inasmuch as the withdrawal value of the stock does not keep pace with its book value."

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That would depend upon the nature and requirements of the indenture, she thought. "Some girls, I have found, work better upon a systematic schedule, others chafe under such restrictions. Some are able to accomplish more in a given time than others. You can lay down rules for some and not for others. That individualism accounts for the fact that there will always be people who will not be willing to submit to that is salvation from Socialism in this country, I think."

"You spoke of 9 per cent interest. Isn't that rather a high rate of earning?" I asked.

"The earnings of this stock are high because the expenses of the company are low. The expenses, such as office rent, office staff, etc., are absorbed upon the payroll of the corporation, as its contribution to the welfare of its employees. A benefit accruing to the corporation, of course, is a resultant stability among its employees. Stock holding in the association is restricted to employees, members of their families and employees of affiliated companies. All these persons also may benefit under the welfare provisions of the mutual benefit association."

"Some benefit associations," he added, "are able to accomplish the same results by allowing seven years for maturity of stock. We do it in six, because the expense is all to me."

"HE supposing this to me?"

"T observed the wife, "is the implicit faith and confidence in which all these applicants have accepted our proposition, without asking us to verify or prove or sign anything. They just leave it all to us, unquestioningly."

"That spirit has long since ceased to surprise me," responded the husband. "One finds that working people are only too anxious to save money if they are offered the opportunity and guidance. We have them come to us with their savings imploring us to take them off their hands, content to accept the earnings, without question as to how it is accomplished."

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Whereupon the husband appeared and declared he had no objection to explaining the scheme if anybody cared to profit by it and provided he might remain anonymous.

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Change in the Rules Interests Promoters Much Less Than Change in the Box Office

Only One Brownie Unsigned on Eve of Training Trip

"Baby Doll" Jacobson, the Lone Holdout, Is Expected to Report, Today.

TEAM DEPARTS TONIGHT

Cardinals Acquire Another Pitching Recruit with High School Record.

When the Browns depart at 6:45 o'clock tonight for Taylor, Tex., to inaugurate the spring training campaign Thursday, the probabilities are that every member of the Phil Ball entry will be signed. With Allan Sutton Sotheron, the "ace" right-hander now in the fold, "Baby Doll" Jacobson is the lone unsigned player.

However, Jacobson, the fence-buster and the only regular right-handed batter among the outfielders, is expected to arrive today, prior to the team's departure to-night and Business Manager Bob Quinn expects to obtain his signature to contract.

In these days of high finance among ball players, with holdouts on almost every club in the two major leagues, Bob Quinn's signing of "Jimmy" Burke's entire club is quite a feat.

Sotheron arrived here yesterday and stopped at Spelman's Park. Before he left, he held a conference with Quinn and signed "the papers." Sootheron departed last night for Omaha, where he has business to attend to. He will report at the Texas training camp Friday.

Bryl to Assail Burke.

Among the arrivals here yesterday were Billy Freil, scout, who will assist Manager Burke in the South; Outfielder Earl Smith and Ray Rich, infielder, and a young pitcher, Uncle Shucker, who has been here for several days.

The squad that will depart from St. Louis tonight there will probably be 18 players. A good many are scheduled to appear in an appearance during the day.

A message from Carl Wellman this morning stated he had the flu and would not be able to join until later.

Cards Acquire Tall Rookie.

Another recruit pitcher has been added to the ranks of the Cardinals. He is Harry Mead, a right-hander, who twirled for the Commerce High School team of Columbus, O., for the past four years. Mead is 20 years old, stands 6 feet 3 1/2 inches in his stocking feet and weighs 165 pounds.

In 1918, his first year at high school, he was a substitute. In 1917 he was beaten by North High in the championship game, although he twirled a two-hit contest. His rival, Conant, of Clinton, O., last year struck out 55 in 45 rounds, while last year he won 30 straight and in one contest fanned 17 batters. For the campaign his strikeouts totaled 93.

Following the high school season, Mead joined the Little League team in the City League and won two "lost" three. Later with Keokuk, Iowa, he won four of five. The Cardinal rookie was given a brief tryout by the Tinker's Columbus club. Last season he also won a cup given to the first high school player to run out a single, double, triple and home run and steal a base.

Cards' New Hurler Signs.

Another contract received at Jess Haines, the right-handed pitcher, recently obtained from Kansas City. Haines is 26 years old, is tall and weighs 175 pounds. According to latest reports he received from Mr. Rickey, Haines did not join K. C. until late in June of 1919 and after that was 21 and lost only five. He yielded 2.2 earned runs per game.

Haines' New Hurler Signs.

Ray Demmitt, former Brown outfielder, who has retired from major league baseball, was a visitor in St. Louis yesterday. He came here to buy some lumber, and not to sign a contract with Burke's aggregation.

SUNDAY SCHOOL QINTS IN ELIMINATION ROUND

The first elimination games in the Sunday School Basketball League are scheduled to be played at the Central M. E. Church tonight. The winner of the elimination series will represent the Sunday School division in the municipal championship contests later in the campaign.

Three contests are scheduled to be played tonight. In the opener the First Congregationalists oppose the Friends. In the junior division senior classes are Christ Church Cathedral vs. First United Presbyterian and between the two King's Highway Presbyterians. First game at 7:30 P.M.

ADVERTISEMENT

Influenza, Colds, Sore Throat

Said to Yield Quickly to Anti-septic Oil Treatment.

Many are finding relief from Influenza, Colds, Sore Throat and perhaps other complaints with the use of the new Miller's Anti-septic Oil known as "Sakka Oil," which contains Turpentine, Camphor, Capsicum, Oil Eucalyptus, Coal Oil and other valuable oils. Its great penetrating power relieves pain and gives almost instant relief when applied free on the sore throat. Well greased when first symptoms appear, it eases the effort of breathing, makes breathing more comfortable, and when applied to the air passages, makes breathing more comfortable. It is a fine oil and enough a few drops on a little sugar will give a bottle full of relief. Don't fail to have a bottle of Sakka Oil on hand.

Keep Liver active by taking Lifsey's Liver Pill. They are delicious, nutritious, nutritious. On sale by Wolfson Drug Co. and Eudora Drug Co.

WRAY'S COLUMN

First Gun of the Campaign.

MIGRATORY big league teams, flocking South this week for the annual cleaning and polishing, in advance of the season, remind one that baseball will soon be with us again—a larger, costlier and somewhat improved baseball, without.

Momentous happenings, for both magnates and fans, have transpired through the winter season. Wars have risen and fallen; mighty gladiators of long standing have been changed; prices—going the way of all others—have been tilted a full 25 per cent on the average, the knell of the mystifying freak and the exasperating spitball has been rung; and that bulwark of the game, the 25-cent bleacher, on which our daddies shouted and ate dinner, has passed on into oblivion.

Out Comes the Trusty Dope.

WHAT the fan will get out of all "bulging" of the national game stock is due partly to the fact that in eight of the 11 major cities comprising the big league circuits Sunday baseball will be played. The eight include among others the metropolis of New York, home of three big teams. Boston, Philadelphia and Pittsburgh are now the only major league municipalities in which Sunday baseball is barred. In Boston action is pending on this matter, prior to the team's departure to-night and Business Manager Bob Quinn expects to obtain his signature to contract.

The season of 1920 comes in on a rising market, so to speak. The

WHAT this revision upwards of the cost of admissions is not clear, at this time, in the American League, however, not less than seven clubs are claiming, "It looks like first division!" with more or less smugness. In fact, the American League is an extremely well-balanced organization with its tail end representative, the Athletics, showing better appearance than the similarly situated club in the National. Of all sad teams to gaze upon, in the "paper" stage of its existence, we have seldom seen a sadder one than that now chauffeured by Gavy Cravath. Gavy must be an optimist if he expects to finish as good as eighth, for at its present rating the club belongs out of the league.

The race as a whole presents about the same aspect as last year, no club having made any surprising alterations unless perhaps it be our own Cardinals, whose officials have embarked on a reinforcement program that may change its complexion entirely.

If the Cardinals carry through their pending deal they will present to the fans on opening day club improved over last year's team in the following particulars:

One New Veteran Catcher, of Known Rank in the League.

A new first baseman, whose last seven years in and out of the major leagues netted him a .305 batting average.

A new outfielder who has for the Baltimore Federal League suit, now pending, in which the Baltimore club's judgment of \$280,000 damages, awarded in a lower court, is being contested. The decision involves a possible knockout under the Sherman anti-trust law and until it is decided the higher-ups of the national game will not rest easy. It was because of this pending decision that the majors and minors entered into what has been termed a gentlemen's agreement, instead of putting the code to govern their relations into writing.

Dates for Title Golf Events to be Named

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 24.—Dates for the national open amateur and women's golf championship tournaments will be selected at a meeting of the Executive Committee of the United States Golf Association here today. The place for the tournaments, announced recently, are the Stevens Club of Toledo for the open, Engineers Country Club, Roslyn, N. Y., for the amateur, and the Mayfield Country Club, Cleveland, for the women.

Hahn Departs Tonight.

Joe Hahn, formerly a member of the Wagners in the Municipal Baseball Association, is scheduled to depart tonight for Dallas, Tex., to join the Texas League club of that city. Hahn will try for a berth in the outfield. He also is a first baseman.

Illinois Beats Gophers.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 26, 1920.—Illinois defeated Minnesota, 26 to 20, in a Western conference basketball game here last night. A strong rally in the last period won for Illinois.

MOORE AND SHARKEY BOX 12-ROUND DRAW

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Feb. 24.—Franklin Mason, Fort Wayne's world's flyweight title challenger, will meet Jimmie Conant of Port Clinton, O., last night, and the bout was stopped by the referee in the third round.

Conant at the time was hanging on the ropes in a helpless condition. Mason weighed 147 pounds. Conant 117 at 3 o'clock.

Pluto Water -

BOX 12-ROUND DRAW

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Feb. 24.—Mike Moore of Memphis and Jack Sharkey of New York fought 12 rounds here last night. Moore excelling in in-fighting, but Sharkey landing the harder blows. Under the State laws no decision could be given.

Dundee Shakes Ritchie.

BEARDSTOWN, Ill., Feb. 24.—Mike Dundee of Rock Island shaded Johnnie Ritchie of Chicago in a 10-round bout here last night, according to short writers.

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ESTABLISHED 1858
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Second Floor, Carleton Building, 305 N. Sixth St., near Olive, St. Louis.

Regan Putting on Needed Weight by Eating Ice Cream

St. Louis Featherweight Striving Hard to Build Up for Kaboff Bout.

Mound Cityans Hope One of Three Meetings With Hagen Will Be at Sunset Hill.

Fistic railbirds who have lived in the atmosphere of the boxing ring and the training quarters since they were old enough to get around "on their own," and who have been giving daily attention to the preparatory activities of Harry Kaboff and Kid Regan, in the majority are inclined to favor the Ghetto Ghost in their prognostications as to the winner of the 8-round bout at the Coliseum Thursday night.

The Algonquin men will enter their new home, which was started after the burning of their old clubhouse last year. This building will be one of the best equipped country clubs in the city. Because of the great increase in the Algonquin membership during the last few years, the old quarters became inadequate. The new house will easily accommodate the larger members.

Tis said that all is not serene in Xank's affairs now. When Baby Doll is in the game, he'll make it good and snappy. The rooters dearly love to read about our famous Baby.

And earnestly deny it. We'd hate to think that Till and Jake would start a civil riot!

Bill Jacobson will sign his name

And all the fans be happy;

When Baby Doll is in the game,

He'll make it good and snappy.

The rooters dearly love to read

About our famous Baby.

And if in battling he should lead,

We'll win the pennant—maybe.

Improvements at Ridgedale.

Ridgedale announces the completion of a new caddy shack and professional's house.

Normandie has added some land

to its present property and work on

lengthening a number of holes is

under way. The present plans pro-

vide for one of the longest courses

in the city, and also the re-pitching

and bunkering of several fairways.

Joe Williamson, caretaker of the

University of Michigan, will proba-

bly meet for the first time in the

grand relay carnival to be held at

the University of Illinois March 6.

Both men are expected to enter the

75-yard dash and the 75-yard hur-

le. The University of Michigan will

also be represented in the one-mile

relay and the four-mile event.

DEMSEY, BATTLING FOR RUTH.

A local theater announces that owing to the unpopularity of "The Adventures of Ruth," that serial will be benches in favor of Jack Dempsey.

GREGGONS INCREASE LEAD.

Sport Salad by J.C. Hayes

SUFFICIENT.

That'll be about all from Dog-

town. We are operating under a

poet's license, not a dog license.

The man on the sand box says

it's a peculiar thing that when a

man gets full of rye he feels his

oats.

"Motorman Back at Work After

16 Months in Siberia."

Headline.

So that's what has been delaying

the Page car!

See where the church organists

want more money. The hand

organists would also like an increase

Office

man to Be
Coach for
Track Men

High School Faculty
Section Announced
Today.

INDUSTRIALS LOWER IN WALL STREET MARKET

Declines Are the Rule for Day
on Standard Issues; Rails
Firm.

Leased Wire From the New York
Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The Evening
Post, in its copyrighted financial re-

view today, says:

"Several things had happened dur-
ing the interval between Saturday's
closing and the opening of the Stock
Exchange. It is true that pas-
sage of the railway bill in Congress
and an unfriendly Federal reserve
report had been expected and in fact
were both foreshadowed in different
ways by last week's stock market.
But the large majorities for
the railway bill—109 in the
Senate and 42 in the House and the
time to McKinley's speech, the
first special coach ever used by
the university, the football team
to having had charge of activities
will devote four days and the
Washington men and the time to McKinley's
athletes. He has had success at McKinley's
school, as Loren Murchison
with the New York Athletic
Patrick Nicholson, for
University hurdle star and athlete: Shuster, now a
University's stars, and Albert and Leffler, now a

"News of this Federal Reserve de-
cision by New York had been followed
by the Reserve Board's announce-
ment yesterday of its purpose to
check the expansion of credit. It is
asked authority from Congress to limit
rediscounts granted to individual
banks."

"A statement appeared to be created
by these two incidents, whereby
stocks with speculative backing
might lose part of their credit
abilities. The response of the industrial
shares was an immediate decline, which ran to 5 points
down, or about 10 per cent. The
loss of the speculative issues,
railway stocks, though also affected,
was the more market consideration.
The inference that the character of
the vote in Congress insured the
success of the labor union obstruc-
tion in the closing hour, however,
these stocks yielded again, and the
market closed higher.

"The money market's position is
not changed by the New York bank's
deficit, except, in so far as the bank
is restoring its legal percentage
reserves, which refuse to make new
rediscounts. Naturally, however, all
of these recent occurrences point to
a specially vigorous effort to
endure expansion. The trouble
is, the Reserve Bank's own rediscon-
tacts are still so far above the
bank rate (as it has been during
many months) that the bank rate
cannot easily be made effective.

"Foreign exchange moved irregu-
larly. Sterling opened nearly 6 cents
lower on Saturday's closing—low-
er'd recovered most of the loss by
midday. Oriental exchange rates
continued to move confusedly, which advanced
at London, while advanced
from 115½ shillings to 122 2-3, de-
clined to 119 1-2.

"The instant prediction of a great
curtailment of our export trade, fol-
lowing the recent sensational
decreases of exchange on Europe, lends
some increase to this morning's
statement of our foreign trade in
January. It indicates no tendency
of the sort. On the contrary, last
month's exports reached a figure
\$40,000,000 above those of December
and exceeded in only two months of
our history—November and June of
1918. The exports do not show
in the way of reducing the bal-
ance of merchandise trade in our
country's favor, the same as in
January. But the question is, does
the excess of exports over imports
resulted from trade with Asia, and
with India in the Western Hem-
isphere. But the ultimate outcome of that
combination of influences would be
to emphasize the movement of Ori-
ental and South American exports
against New York, while not reliev-
ing at all the pressure on the mar-
ket for European exchange. It is
certain that in February our ex-
ports of certain commodities to Eu-
rope have been considerably reduced.
But the question is equally interest-
ing what part Europe had in last
month's very large increase of our
imports and how our imports from
them are being affected now."

New York Curb Close

Ranched daily by Mark C. Steinberg &
Co., managing Boatmen's Bank Building, St.
Louis, Mo.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Hired
BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
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THE WEEKLY MEETING OF THE TUESDAY LADIES' CLUB—By GOLDBERG.

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R. L. Goldberg.)

MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY
By James J. Montague.



WHEN KNOWLEDGE IS NOT POWER.
I know they've cut the price of beef,
The daily market column show it.
But that affords me no relief.
For Jones the butcher doesn't know it.
I've heard that pork has gone so low
That even convicts now are fed it.
But does that help me any? No!
For Jones the butcher hasn't read it.

I know that sugar has declined
So much we need no more forego it,
But when I go to town I find
That Brown the grocer doesn't know it.
I've heard that beans are not so high,
"Big Cut in Beans" the papers word it.
But I can't lay in a supply,
For Brown the grocer hasn't heard it.

I know that coal is off a lot.
I fain would buy a ton and stow it
For winter's use, but I cannot,
For Smith the coal man doesn't know it.
I see the price of anthracite
Is cheaper, if you'll only screen it,
But that don't help me out a mite,
For Smith the coal man hasn't seen it.

No longer should we fear to be
Soon seeking places in the headlines,
For daily in the press we see
The following optimistic headlines:
"The Cost of Living Has Come Down!"
"High Prices Cease Their Skyward Capers!"
Yet marksmen, all over town,
Somehow don't ever see the papers!



COMPENSATION.

The man who said that an automobile, unlike a horse, doesn't eat its head off when idle, hasn't got his bill for storage from the garage yet.

Helping Grandfather.

The other evening five-year-old John was over at his grandfather's house for supper. While they were eating grandfather sneezed. It stopped his conversation a minute, and then just as he started to resume it Joseph spoke up: "What do you say, grandpa?"

Grandfather looked mystified a minute; then again began to talk. Again Joseph persisted, "What do you say, grandpa?"

More mystified looks. Then Joseph informed him, "Grandpa," he said sweetly, "isn't this a 'scuse me table like ours?"—Indianapolis News.

He Knew Him.

"What do you mean, young man," asked the merchant of the boy, "by counting your change so carefully? Are you afraid that I would cheat you?"

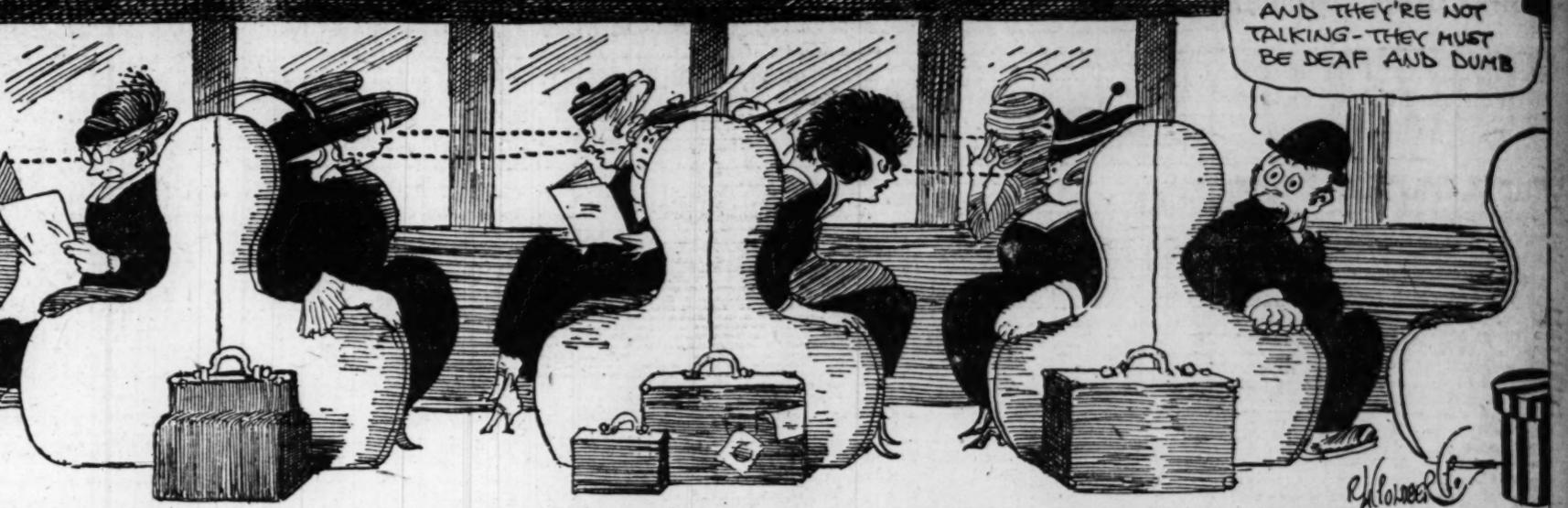
"I don't know," replied the boy. "I'm just making sure that you won't used to coddle for you at the golf club!"—Detroit Free Press.

Modern Picture of Two Young Lovers in Cupid's Seventh Heaven.—By Fox



THE BIG TRIP

THE TRIP ENDS
ABRUPTLY IN
MILWAUKEE WHEN
FIVE OF THE
LADIES CLAIM
THE SAME PIECE
OF LINGERIE
THAT COMES BACK IN
THE LAUNDRY
AND THEY ALL
START BACK IN
THE TRAIN WITH
NO MEMBER ON
SPEAKING TERMS
WITH ANY OF THE
OTHERS.
IT IS THE FIRST TIME
THEY HAVE ALL BEEN
QUIET SINCE THE
CLUB WAS ORGANIZED.



THAT'S FUNNY—
THOSE WOMEN
ARE AWAKE
AND THEY'RE NOT
TALKING—they must
BE DEAF AND DUMB

R. L. Goldberg

AND POP'S SHOES WEREN'T ALL THAT FELL DOWN STAIRS.—By C. M. PAYNE.



IT'S GETTING PRETTY DRY AT THAT.—By BUD FISHER.

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Trade Mark Reg. U. S. Pat. Office.)



Descriptive.

There's a delightful new name for the little mirror, powder-puff, lip-

stick and other daddads that women carry in their handbags.

Vamping utensils.—Public Ledger.

Coughed Up Cheerfully.

Iowa Paper: After refreshments had been served the happy assembly disbursed.—Boston Transcript.

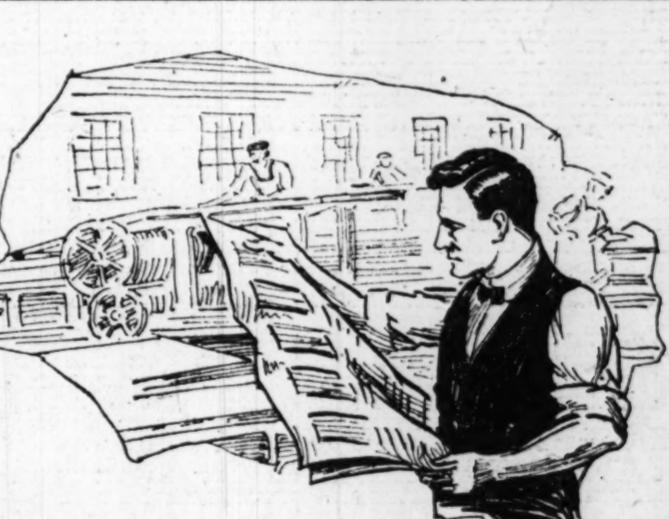


Stop a tickle when it tickles,
don't wait for it to grow into a full-fledged cough—take a Vanola. The pure eucalyptus oil in Vanolas just soothes away all throat irritations. Vanolas are sweet to eat—they are candies with a purpose. Keep a box in your pocket. 5c at all dealers.



ADVERTISEMENT
Just Apply This Paste
And the Hair Vanish

(Helps to Beauty
A safe home-treatment for
the quick removal of fine hairs
from your face or neck is as follows:
In a soft cloth, soak in warm water
and powdered delostone, apply to objectionable
area and after 10 or 15 minutes rub
off. Wash the area and the hair is
gone. This simple treatment is unfa-
lful and safe and will not damage
its use, but to avoid disappointment
certain you get genuine delostone.



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In the press room, that's where your catalog, folder or booklet is made or unmade. Good copy, layouts, color schemes and art work are as nothing if the press does not bring them out effectively.

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